

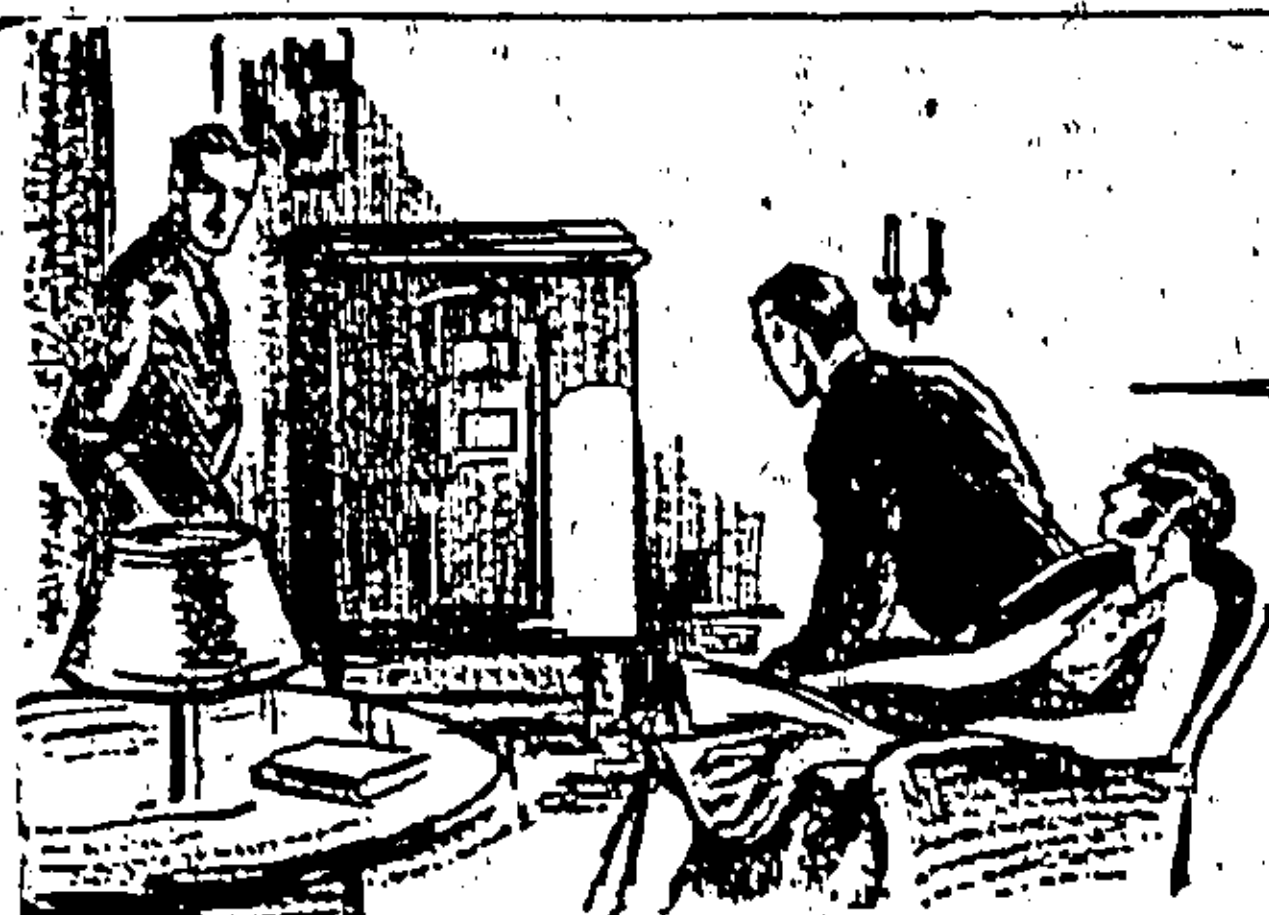
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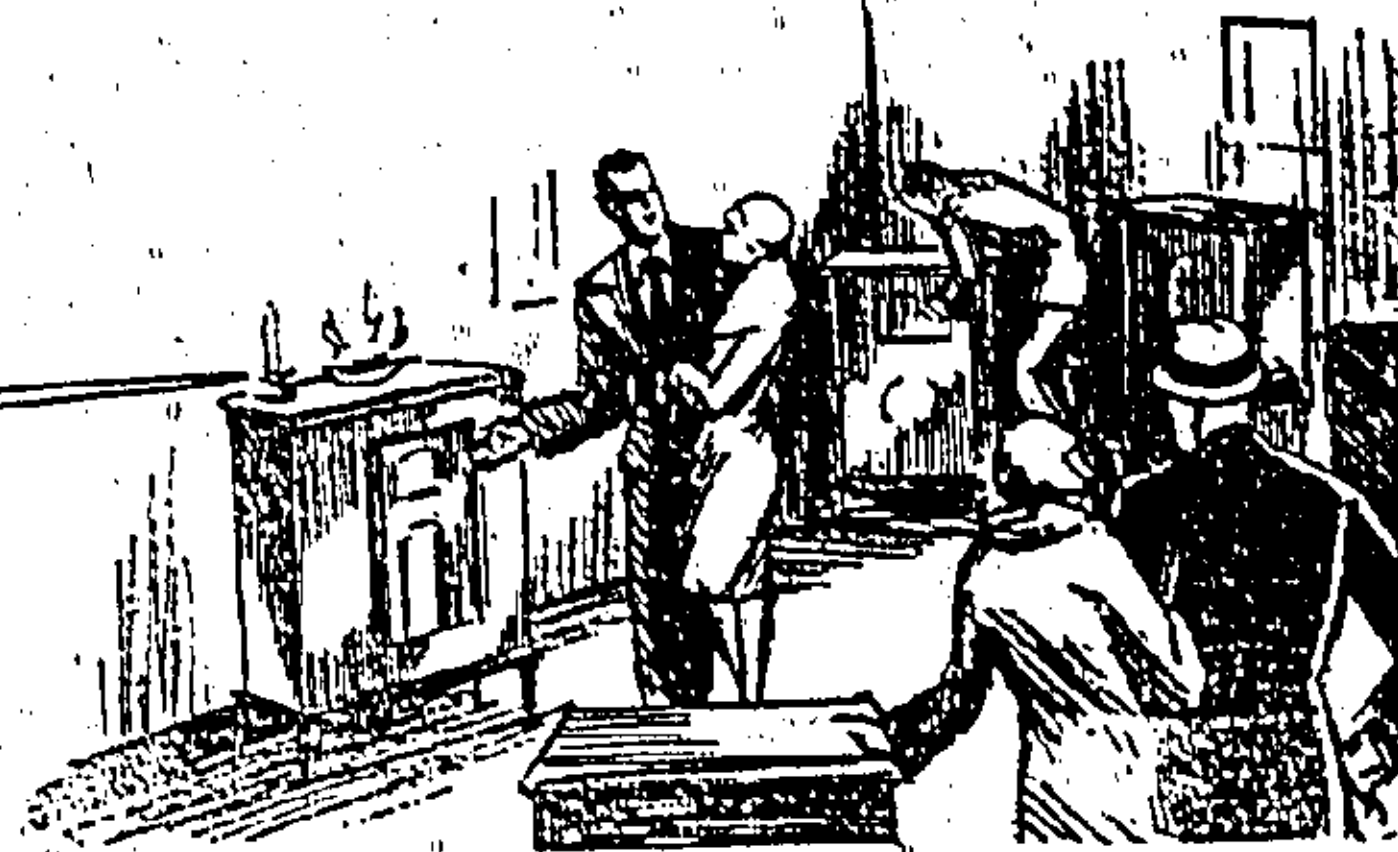
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# RADIO FEATURES



## THE SCREENED GRID VALVE.

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The ordinary triode high-frequency valve, whose duty it is to increase the incoming signal current before being passed to the detector stage, has always been subject to "feedback," an uncontrollable reaction effect that renders this stage, important to long-distance reception, unstable when called upon to handle an input of any strength. This is caused by the capacity effect between the grid and the anode, and attempts were made, first by Dr. Hull, of Schenectady, four years ago, to prevent this capacity by placing a screen between the two electrodes.

Hull's first valve was quite successful, having reduced this inter-electrode capacity to 0.006 micro-farads, a figure of practically no consequence even in high-frequency amplification. Unfortunately this valve was merely experimental in construction, its commercial production in quantity not being practicable.

### The First S.G. Valves.

It was more than a year after this initial experiment that screened grid valves were first placed on the market. For a long time this new offering to the radio amateur failed to live up to expectations, and the many promises made of its performance prior to its presentation appeared to be unfulfilled. The early difficulties have since been overcome, and the screened grid tube as a means of high-frequency amplification is now as important a factor as the Pentode in low-frequency amplification. There is a similarity between the two valves, inasmuch as the screen to overcome the capacity in a screened grid valve takes the form of an extra grid.

### Screen Design.

One can imagine such a screen as being a piece of metal shaped so as to completely enclose either one or the other of the two elements that are giving cause to the troublesome capacity effect.

Such a practice would obviously prevent the electronic flow which, as discussed in the last article, is the essential function of the thermionic tube.

A compromise is struck by perforating the screen to a grid-like construction, and applying a positive potential. It is obvious that in having thus to provide for the electronic flow a certain amount of undesired capacity will still take place within the tube. It was this element that caused the unsatisfactory initial reception to the screened grid valve already mentioned.

### Neutralising Valve Capacity.

With the ordinary triode valve inter-electrode capacity was, to a certain extent, overcome by the employment of a neutralising condenser.

The inter-electrode capacity has never been completely eliminated, being merely brought down to a figure so small as to make its neutralisation too big a feat for the smallest condenser it is possible to construct.

With the earliest S.G. valves the capacity, though too small to be neutralised, was nevertheless sufficient to cause instability, but recent developments have brought the capacity to an almost negligible figure.

Even so, the use of the screened grid valve, as with the Pentode, necessitates a special circuit, and any amateur who attempts to replace an ordinary three-electrode tube with one of the S.G. type without redesigning his set to meet the change will be doomed to disappointment.

### Greater H.F. Amplification.

With a suitable circuit employing this type of valve it is now possible to use two or three stages of high-frequency amplification in cascade, a feature hitherto impossible without employing stabilising devices which resulted in a certain amount of loss in efficiency.

Screened grid valves have undoubtedly opened up a new field in receiver design, and it is the new system of component connection required rather than the valve itself that has caused such strides in H.F. amplification per stage.

The latest range of S.G. valves which take their current from A.C. mains give a stage gain of one to three hundred with a remarkable performance as to faithful handling of received currents without distortion.

### Choosing an S.G.

With such a vast range of screened grid valves on the market the selection of one for a particular type of receiver must present something of a problem to the average amateur.

In all cases the main objective should be the maximum stage gain within the limit of the inter-electrode capacity that can be handled. This latter will depend on the design and the coils of the circuit employing the valve.

### THE THREE MILLION MARK.

In Great Britain receiving licences have passed the three million mark. The total, exclusive of licences issued free to the blind, is now 3,008,903. The same mark has just been reached by Germany.

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11 to 11.30 a.m.—Commercial News.  
11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.—Chinese programme.

12.30 to 2 p.m.—Programme of Columbia Records by Courtesy of Messrs. Anderson Music Co.:  
6 to 6.30 p.m.—Auntie Letty and Auntie Joy will entertain the Children.

6.30 to 8 p.m.—Programme of Columbia Records by Courtesy of Messrs. Anderson Music Company:

6.30 p.m.—"Bitter Sweet" (Noel Coward) Columbia Light Opera Company with Orchestra.

6.35 p.m.—"Faery Song, from The Immortal Hour" (F. Macleod and R. Boughton) and "The Minstrel" (Helen Taylor and Easthope Martin), William Heseltine, Tenor with Orchestra.

6.44 p.m.—"Zip Zip" (Byron Brooke) and "Whispering Pines" (W. Byrne), Sir Dan Godfrey conducting the Bourne-mouth Municipal Orchestra.  
6.50 p.m.—"He's Tall, Dark and Handsome" (Tobias and Sherman) and "Virginia" (Bryan,

Shuster and Philips), Sophie Tucker, Comedienne with Ted Shapiro and His Orchestra.

6.58 p.m.—"New Sullivan Selection" (Arr. Dan Godfrey), H. M. Grenadier Guards Conducted by Capt. George Miller.

7.04 p.m.—"From The Canoe" (Gardner) and "Estrellita" (M. Ponce), Violin Solo by Albert Sammons (at the Piano: Gerald Moore).

7.10 p.m.—"Will O' The Whispers" (Garshwin and Garshwin) and "This Year of Grace" (Coward), Norah Blancy, Comedienne with Piano.

7.16 p.m.—"Anita" (Pollack and Clare) and "Progressions" (Len Fillis), Banjo Solo by Len Fillis (Sir Bright at the Piano).

7.22 p.m.—"The Thistle" (Myddleton, arr. Winterbottom), H.M. Grenadier Guards Conducted by Capt. George Miller.

7.30 p.m.—"The Bing Boys are Here: I Stopped; I Looked; I Listened" and "Another Little Drink Wouldn't Do Us Any Harm," Trio: Violet LeVaine, Alfred Lester and George Robey.

7.38 p.m.—"Petite Suite De Concert" (S. Coleridge-Taylor), New Queen's Hall Light Orchestra.

7.46 p.m.—"Petit Suite De Concert No. 3 and 4" (S. Coleridge-Taylor), New Queen's Hall Light Orchestra.

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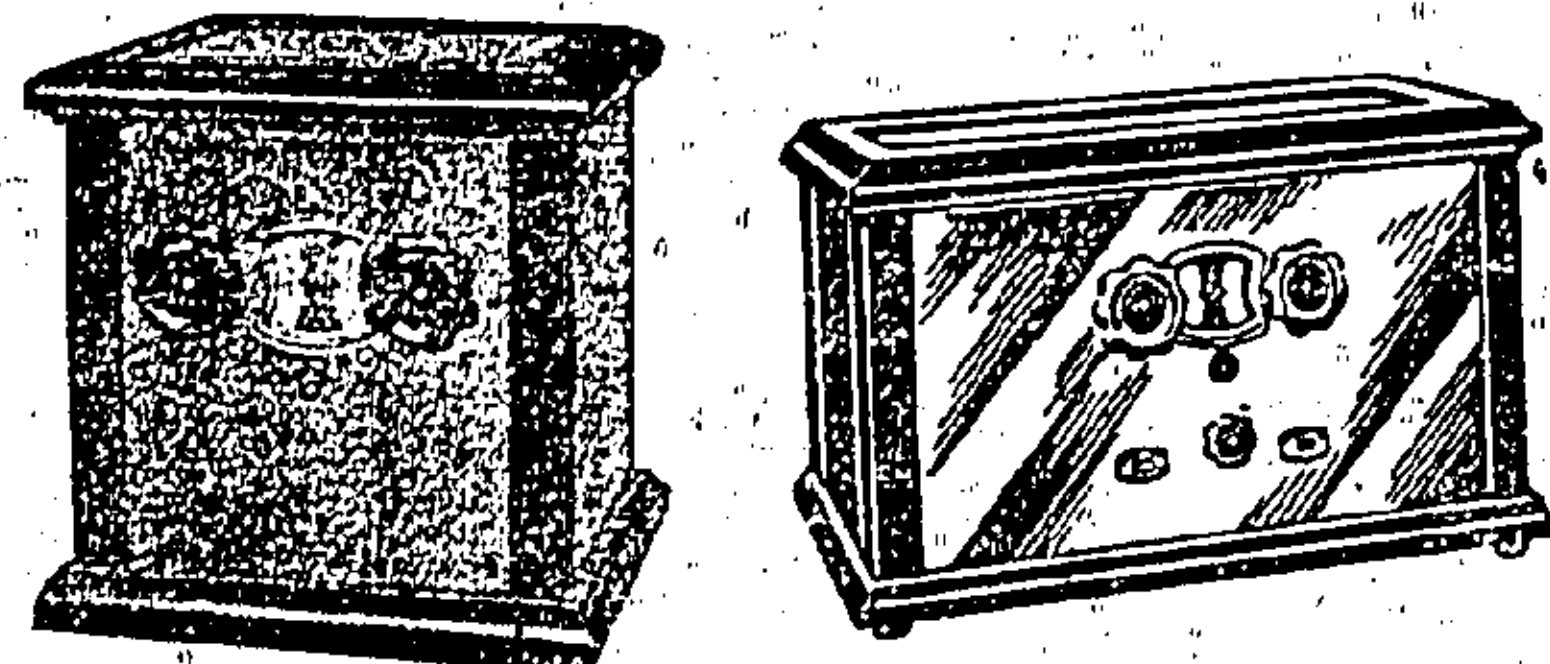
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Wave length (Metres)	Station	Call Sign	Kilo cycle
260	Manila	K.Z.I.B.	1,153
277	Shanghai	K.S.M.S.	1,085
290	Tientsin	C.R.C.	1,070
310	Shanghai	K.R.C.	967
320	Peking	C.O.P.K.	945
345	Tokyo	J.O.A.K.	870
353	Hiroshima	J.O.F.K.	850
355	Hong Kong	Z.B.W.	846
357	Singapore	V.U.B.	840
361	Singapore	J.O.I.K.	850
366	Keljo	J.O.D.K.	850
370	Nagoya	J.O.C.K.	810
370.4	Calcutta	V.U.C.	809.9
380	Kumamoto	J.O.G.K.	790
390	Sendai	J.O.H.K.	770
395	Dairen	J.D.A.K.	760
398	Rangoon	V.U.R.	754
400	Osaka	J.O.B.K.	750
410	Canton	C.M.B.	732
415	Manila	K.Z.R.M.	728

### SHORT-WAVE STATIONS.

Wave length (Metres)	Station	Call Sign	Kilo cycle	Time (Hong Kong) of Working
57.95	Dobitz (Germany)	A.F.K.	4,424	Mon., Wed. & Fri., 8 p.m. & 2 a.m.
60.12	Khabarovsk (Russia)	E.A.97.	4,990	6—10 p.m.
66.7	Nauen	A.G.J.	5,291	Not regular
69.	Moscow	E.Y.N.	6,000	Tues., Thurs., Sat., 8 p.m.
89.5	Bonn	I.M.A.	6,808	Sunday midnight
112.	Perth	G.A.G.	7,142	Daily 6.30 p.m. & 11 p.m.
113.	Singapore	V.S.I.A.B.	7,810	Not regular
138.8	Kootwijk (Holland)	P.C.L.	7,730	Daily 11 p.m.
37.	Bangkok (Siam)	H.S.P.J.	8,108	Tues. & Fri., 9 p.m.—1 a.m.
32.6	Sydney	Z.B.L.	9,230	Not regular
31.65	Melbourne	S.L.O.	9,508	Not regular
31.48	Schenectady	W.X.A.F.	9,530	Daily 7 a.m.
31.20	Eindhoven (Holland)	P.C.J.	9,620	Fri. 3 a.m., Sat. 8 a.m. & 10 a.m.
31.28	Sydney	Z.F.C.	9,590	Not regular
31.	Nairobi (Kenya)	T.L.O.	9,577	Midnight daily
28.6	Sydney	S.M.E.	10,528	Not regular
27.8	Bombay	P.T.B.	11,220	Midnight—3 a.m. daily
26.63	Chelmsford (England)	S.W.	11,761	7.30 p.m. & 3 a.m. daily, except Saturday and Sunday
24.5	Manila	K.I.X.B.	12,240	Nightly
22.35	Schenectady	W.X.A.F.	13,400	Not regular
18.88	Bombay	P.T.B.	15,900	Daily 6.30 p.m. to midnight
18.4	Kootwijk (Holland)	P.C.L.	16,304	Daily 7 p.m.
17.4	Bombay	P.T.B.	17,280	Daily 8 p.m. to midnight
16.9	Bangkok	H.S.P.J.	17,761	Sundays 7 p.m. & midnight
16.88	Huizen (Holland)	P.H.I.	17,769	Daily 10 p.m.
16.3	Kootwijk (Holland)	P.C.K.	18,404	Each afternoon
15.74	Bombay	P.T.B.	19,220	Daily 5.30—7 p.m.
15.5	Nancy (France)	P.L.E.	19,351	Daily 8 a.m.
15.33	Flensburg	W.S.X.K.	21,540	Not regular

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The bathing suit of to-day is trimmer and smarter than it has ever been, and though perhaps there is less of it in view of the cut of sun bathing, the bathing girls of this summer are going to add to its decorative value by wearing bathing jewellery.

Most of the necklaces are made of cork, brilliantly painted in colour. Bracelets are to be had to match which are worn above the elbow above bangle fashion. Fortunately these necklaces are of the choker type otherwise they would be floating around in the ocean instead of gracing the wearers' necks.

## A New Brassiere.

The bathing brassiere should be part of every woman's beach outfit; no matter how slim and sylph-like she may be, her swimming suit gets better with its aid. Many suits have built-in brassieres, but for those who like a separate garment, a new adjustable type has been

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## New Caps.

The helmet bathing-cap is first favourite with all serious swimmers, and incidentally, apart from serious swimming, it really is the best shape for keeping out the water. The pity is that the helmet gives the wearer such a scragged appearance. However, even helmets are rather more decorative this year, trimmings of gathered and ruched rubber being used upon many models.

Rubber scarves have been used to create the girly effect in bathing headgear but since these are difficult to tie securely the design is now copied in a ready-made slip-on cap in which the scarf effect is simulated, the tied ends being worn at the back or the side, whichever is the more becoming.

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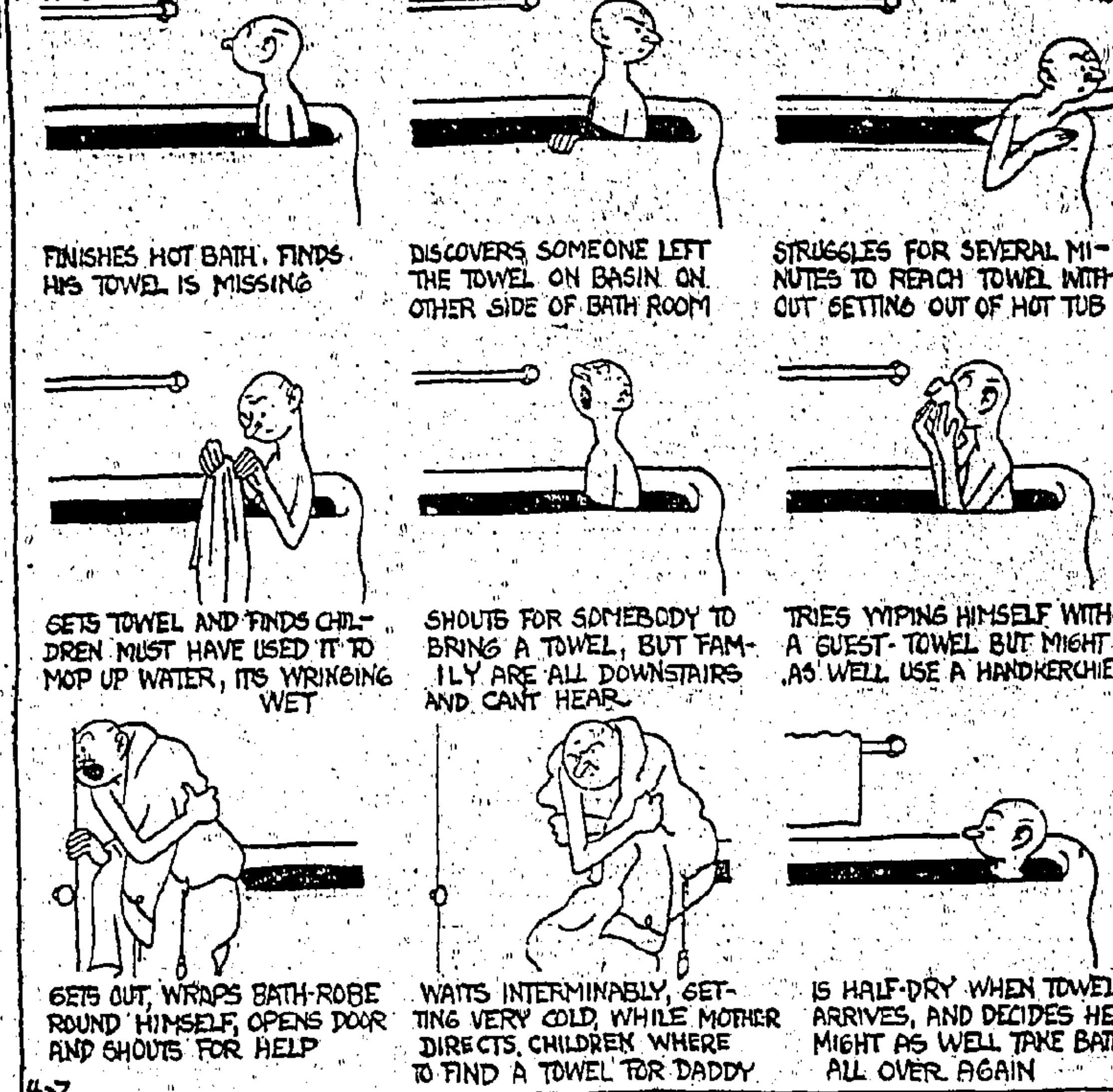
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By GLUYAS WILLIAMS

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## HUMOUR: ANCIENT AND MODERN.

Teacher: "For what purpose is the skin of a cow used?"  
Tommy: "To keep the beef in, sir."

He: You'll have to go a long way before you meet anyone who loves you more than I do.  
She: "Well, I'm willing to."

Storekeeper: "Shall I draw the chicken for you, madam?"  
Young Bride: "No, thank you. Your description is quite sufficient."

Maud: "My favourite tree is the oak. It's so noble, so magnificent in strength. What is your favourite?"  
Bert: "Yew."

Horace: "What is a bachelor, daddie?"  
His Father: "A bachelor, my boy, is a man who looks before he leaps—and then doesn't leap!"

The teacher was giving his class a lesson on charity. "Willie," he said, "If I saw a boy beating an ass, and stopped him from doing so, what virtue should I be showing?"  
Willie (promptly): "Brotherly love."

"I went out West in '89," said the New Yorker.  
"How fur 'd you git?" queried the miner.

"Buffalo," said the New Yorker.  
"Went East the same year," said the miner. "Went as fur's Butte, Montana. Nearly ran into each other, didn't we?"

Mike: "Where are you going in such a hurry?"  
Pat: "To the police station to get a warrant for my wife's arrest."  
"On what charge?"  
"Rocking me to sleep."  
"You can't have your wife arrested for rocking you to sleep."  
"Can't I? You should have seen the rock!"

A clergyman was taking a holiday. His face was very red from wind and rain. He approached a policeman. "His overcoat collar was turned up, so that the policeman did not see the sign of his calling. "Can you tell me the time, please?" he asked.  
"They'll be open in ten minutes," said the policeman.

"You say your baby does not walk yet; mine does, and he is not so old as yours. Has your baby cut his teeth yet?"  
"No, he hasn't."

"Oh mine has them all! Your baby talk yet?"  
"Not yet. Can yours?"  
"Great Scott, yes!"  
"Does your baby use a safety razor or one of the other sort?"

After much persuasion a Welshman entered a raffle for a chicken. He was surprised to hear that he had won it. After receiving the bird, he was still suspicious as to whether he would be allowed to keep it, so he said to a friend, "Let's take it home and kill it right away."  
"Don't be in such a hurry," replied the other, "wait till the morning—it might lay an egg by then."

There had been an outbreak of fire at the artist's studio, and the insurance agent had called to estimate the damage. "Now, with regard to these canvases," said the insurance man, "you say they cost about ten shillings each?"  
"Yes," admitted the artist. "But," he pointed out, "I'd painted on most of them."  
"Ah," said the agent, thoughtfully, "then suppose we say five shillings each."

A district visitor patronisingly surveyed a dirty little boy who opened the door to her. "Hallo, little boy," she said, "what is your name?"

"Same as dad's."  
"What is your dad's name?"  
"Same as mine."  
"Yes, but what do they call you when they want you to come to dinner?"  
"They don't never call me to dinner."  
"Why don't they?"  
"Cause I always git there first!"

"It's surprising," said the professor to his wife at breakfast, "to think how ignorant we all are. Nearly every man is a specialist in his own particular line, and in consequence we are all as narrow-minded as it is possible to be."

"Yes, dear," said his wife, absorbed in the perusal of the latest sale announcement.  
"For instance," he continued, "I am ashamed of my failure to keep abreast of modern science. Take electric light, for example. I haven't the least idea how it works."

His wife gave him a patronizing look and smiled.

"Why, Hubert, I'm ashamed of you, too. It's very simple. You just press a switch, that's all!"

## GERMANY'S NEW HIGH-POWER STATIONS.

The development of broadcasting on the lines of greater power for stations continuing with unabated vigour, and it is now Germany's turn to announce a reconstruction scheme involving the building of a number of super-power stations. The nominal power will be 60 kilowatts, but they are to be so designed that a maximum of 100 kilowatts can be utilised.  
The plan is most probably the result of other nations making efforts to dominate the ether at least in their own countries. High-powered stations make their presence known beyond the frontiers of their own countries, and until some kind of international agreement placing limits on the power and locality of transmitters is reached this race of power may be expected to continue.  
The new German stations, of which six or seven are contemplated, are expected to be erected outside towns, away in the open country, and they will in this respect be similar to our own regional scheme. There are to be no dual wave transmitters, however. Because of the scarcity of wave-lengths it is expected that several stations which at present have exclusive waves will transmit on a common wave as relay stations.  
The first of the super-stations is expected to be working before the end of the year, and the others will rapidly follow.

## NEW YORK POLICE.

## MR. WHALEN RESIGNS.

New York, May 20.—Mr. Grover Whalen's long-anticipated resignation from the police commissioner's office of New York City was sent in to Mayor James J. Walker today, and promptly accepted.  
Mayor Walker, then appointed as Mr. Whalen's successor Mr. Edward Mulrooney, Assistant Chief Inspector of the Police Department.

With the passing of Mr. Whalen as head of the department, a degree of peace is expected to descend after months of wrangling, "Red-baiting," spectacular traffic stunts and numerous bids for publicity which eventually cast into the shade even the colourful Mayor "Jimmy" Walker and caused rumours that Mr. Whalen had his eye on the mayoralty.

Stage Management.  
Previous to his appointment as Police Commissioner, Mr. Whalen had won fame as the affable chief of the New York official greeting squad. Whenever celebrities arrived from abroad, Mr. Whalen was out on the city's official launch, Macom, and he escorted them to the City Hall amidst a tumultuous welcome which often consisted largely of the fact that he sagaciously chose the crowded noon-time hour when crowds were certain to be out in force. Before this chapter of his life, Mr. Whalen achieved distinction in business circles as an official in a large New York retail store.

## Several Beverages Suffered.

Placed in office when public dissatisfaction with the lack of action on the mysterious Arnold Rothstein murder was at its height, Mr. Whalen, like his predecessor, manifested considerable disinclination to probe into the demise of the famous gambler, but threw up what his enemies termed a "smoke screen" by systematizing city traffic, especially in the theatrical district during the evenings, and by a variety of other "stunts" of more or less value.

Recently he suffered several reverses. One of these was in connection with his effort to withhold licenses from would-be taxi-cab drivers until they came provided with an official uniform cap and duster, an attitude which the courts did not support.

## Bogus "Bolshevik Plots."

Another had to do with the "Communist documents" purporting to disclose Moscow's instructions for a general overthrow of all American institutions on May 1. Mr. Whalen's testimony concerning these documents before a Senate committee was not convincing, and the rough tactics of his police in man-handling innocent bystanders in breaking up unlicensed Communist demonstrations drew newspaper criticism, particularly after a few reporters were among those damaged.

A French aviator, named Bernstein on May 2 broke Colonel Lindbergh's record for one single solo flight when he landed at Le Bourget aerodrome after having been in the air for 33 hours, 49 minutes and 55 seconds.

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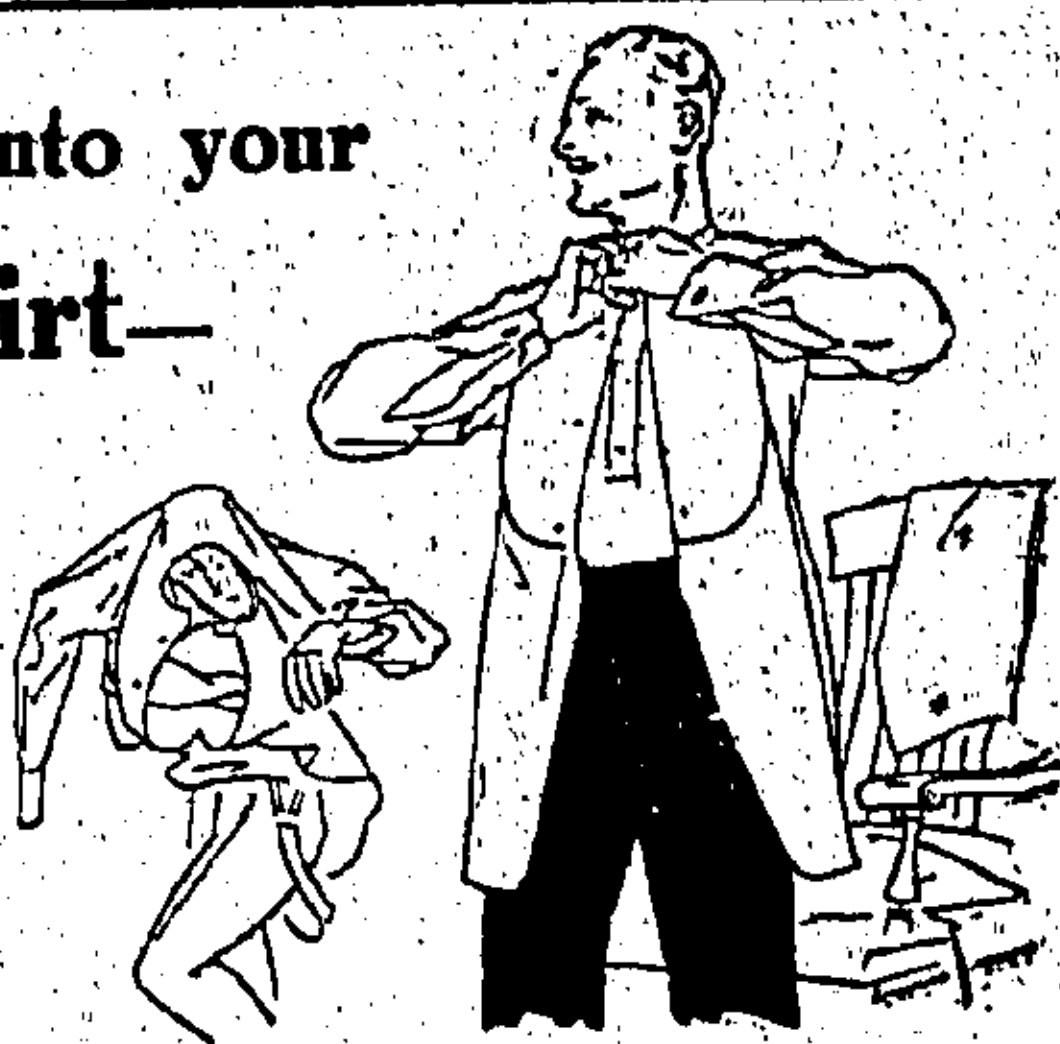




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## HONG KONG PROFESSORS IN POVERTY

### UNIVERSITY FINANCE AGAIN.

#### FINANCIAL COLLAPSE THREATENED UNLESS RELIEF COMES.

The report on the working of the University of Hong Kong for 1929, signed by Mr. W. W. Hornell, Vice-Chancellor, again makes melancholy reading. We quote as follows:—

##### The Acting Vice-Chancellor.

The Vice-Chancellor was on leave from June 8, 1929, to March 12, 1930.

During this period His Honour Sir Henry Gollan, C.B.E., the Chief Justice of the Colony, acted as Vice-Chancellor and this he did in addition to all his other duties and responsibilities, which were at the time exceptionally heavy. Sir Henry made it a condition of so acting that he should take from the University no remuneration whatsoever. While he was acting as Vice-Chancellor, the Chief Justice presided over the deliberations of a committee to which His Excellency the Governor had referred the conditions of salary and service of the academic staff of the University. The Chief Justice was assisted in the inquiry by Mr. Paul Lauder and the Hon. Mr. S. W. Tso, C.B.E., LL.D., both of whom are members of the University Council. This committee did its work with thoroughness and promptitude and presented its report to the Chancellor on November 30, 1929. The University is under a deep debt of gratitude to this Committee.

##### Students, Graduates and Higher Degrees.

On December 31, 1929, there were 315 students on the rolls of the University:—

Faculty.	Men.	Women.	Total.
Medicine	139	13	152
Engineering	68	—	68
Arts	76	19	95
	283	32	315

Thirty-seven members of the University were presented for bachelor degrees at the last Congregation; of these eighteen came from the Medical Faculty, eight from the Engineering Faculty and eleven from the Arts Faculty. Five of those to whom the degree of B.Sc. (Engineering) was awarded at the Congregation of 1929, were awarded honours by the London University Assessors—one in the first class and the remaining four in the second class.

Dr. Mustapha Bin Osman who graduated in the Medical Faculty in 1924 qualified in 1929 in pathology for the degree of Doctor of Medicine. Mr. S. B. Ahmed who graduated in the Engineering Faculty in 1925 qualified for the degree of Master of Science (Engineering), the thesis which he submitted being entitled "The theory of earth pressure as applied to retaining walls."

##### Staff.

The University consists of fifteen whole-time professors; of these, three are employed exclusively in the Medical Faculty, while three are employed exclusively and respectively in the two other faculties, viz., the Faculties of Engineering and Arts. The Professors of Mathematics, Chemistry and Physics work in all three Faculties and are members of the Board of each. There is a whole-time reader in Biology and a whole-time reader in History. There are also whole-time Readers in Chinese History, and in Chinese Literature. The University also has on its whole-time staff eight lecturers (including three combined lecturers in commerce who has not yet joined), three assistants, five demonstrators and a Chinese Translator. Thus the University employs a whole-time teaching staff of thirty-five. This total is exclusive of the Registrar, the Librarian and the Vice-Chancellor, all whole-time officers. The Vice-Chancellor generally undertakes some teaching work. There is also a considerable part-time staff.

Professor Joseph L. Shellshear, D.Sc., M.D., Ch.M., the University's Professor of Anatomy, sent, in the course of the year under review of Professor G. Elliot Smith, F.R.S., of University College, London, a paper entitled—"A Study of the Arteries of the Brain of the Spiny Ant-Eater (Echidna Aculeata)," to illustrate the Principles of Arterial Distribution. This paper was communicated by Professor Elliot Smith to the Royal Society of London and read before that Society on June 27, 1929. The paper now appears in the Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society (Series B, Vol. 219, Pp. 1-30).

Professor Shellshear had previously written papers, one on the Arteries of the Brain of the Orang-Utan, another on the Evolution of the Parallel Sulcus and a third on the Blood Supply of the Hypoglossal Nucleus. These papers were published by the Journal of Anatomy (Vol. LXI, Parts II and III, 1927). A paper written by Professor Shellshear on a Contribution to Our Knowledge of the Arterial Supply of the Cerebral Cortex in man was published in "Brain" (Vol. L, part 2, 1927).

Professor W. I. Gerrard, O.B.E., M.D. (Aberdeen), M.R.C.P. joined his appointment as Professor of Medicine in place of Dr. J. Anderson, M.D., M.A., B.Sc., who resigned in 1928.

Professor W. J. Hinton, M.A., resigned the Professorship of Political Economy to take up the Directorship of Studies under the Bankers Institute in London. The resignation of Professor Hinton was followed by a reorganisation of the staff of the Commercial Department. The Readership in Law and Politics was raised to the status of a Chair of Economics and Political Science. The Chair of Political Science was abolished; and a lectureship in Commerce was created. Professor R. Robertson, M.A. (Edinburgh), was appointed to the Chair of Economics and Political Science. Mr. M. A. Cooper, B.Com. (London and Nottingham), has been selected for the Lectureship in Commerce. He will take up his appointment in September.

One of the lecturers and tutors in English, Mr. F. H. J. Traves, B.A. (Cantab) resigned his appointment in July, 1929, to take up a post in the Education Department of Malaya. In his place Mr. C. E. R. Clarabut, B.A. (Cantab), has been appointed.

##### The Salaries Committee.

Reference has already been made to the Committee to which H.E. the Chancellor referred the question of the salary and service of the academic staff of the University. The Committee unanimously and unhesitatingly condemned the existing salary as inadequate. The report takes, for example, the actual case of a professor newly arrived in the Colony who is married, has two children and finds that there is no house in the University Compound available for him. For purposes of calculating, the dollar is taken at 2s. so that, in respect of his salary of \$800 a year, the professor receives \$8,000 from which must be deducted his contribution to the Superannuation Fund at the rate of 5 per cent. This will leave him \$7,600 a year or about \$630 a month. The Professor is entitled to a free house, but if one is not available he gets a rent allowance of \$200 a month and has to provide his own quarters. On the evidence given before them, the members of the Committee were sceptical whether the allowance is sufficient to cover the rent and the value of other concessions granted to those who live in the University Compound.

##### A Poor Joke.

"But assuming that it is, this professor will receive \$830 per annum out of which he must pay the living and clothing expenses of his family and himself, meet any unexpected calls due to sickness or other causes of a similar character and provide for insurance premiums; for no considerate man could leave a widow and children dependent on the tender mercies of the Superannuation Fund under existing conditions. We do not refer to any expenses of recreation intellectual or otherwise, because we might appear to be making a joke in very poor taste."

The report points out in another place that with the dollar at 2s. the income of a University whole-time lecturer works out, after his contribution to the Superannuation Fund has been deducted, to just under \$399 a month!

"A sum equal to the salary of a clerk in the higher grade of the Clerical Service in the Government, as recommended by the Salaries Commission's Report, 1929."

The report recommends definitely and in detail a revised scheme of enhanced salary rate. In doing this, its authors admit, after a passing allusion to the fact that the University's income does not cover its expenditure, that they considered it essential that their recommendations should be such as there is a reasonable chance of being realised.

The Council and Court of University have adopted the Report and decided to give effect to it as soon as possible. The Court in accepting this obligation recorded a further resolution to the effect that "in view of the fact that the financial resources of the University are unable to bear the burden of the additional expenditure involved in the acceptance of the Salaries Committee's recommendations, and in view of the deficit of \$22,845 in the Budget Estimates for 1930, an urgent recommendation be made to the Government to increase its annual subvention from \$200,000 to \$220,000."

A request for the increased subvention was addressed to Government early in January, but Government's reply is still awaited. Meanwhile nothing has been done to ease the very acute financial position which the Salaries Committee has revealed.

##### The Chinese Library.

During the period under review the University received a donation of \$120,000 from Mr. Fung Ping Shan for the provision of a Chinese Library building. Mr. Fung Ping Shan's gift comprises \$100,000 for the building and equipment and \$20,000 as a contribution to the University General Endowment Fund to meet the maintenance charges of the Library. In providing a sum of money for the recurring expenditure involved in the maintenance of the Library, Mr. Fung Ping Shan has set a most commendable precedent. It is sometimes forgotten that when a particular building is put up by the University on the basis of a specific donation, the University has as a matter of course to be financially responsible for the buildings' maintenance—an item in some cases of considerable magnitude.

##### The Chater Memorial Scholarship.

A new scholarship entitled the Chater Memorial Scholarship was instituted last year out of the funds collected locally to commemorate the late Sir Paul Chater.

The scholarship which is of the value of \$300 a year and tenable for four years at the University will be awarded annually on the results of the Matriculation Examination. The scholarship is open irrespective of race or creed, to any boy or girl who, at the time of the award, can produce evidence of at least one parent who has been an inhabitant resident in Hong Kong for a period of not less than ten years. The object of the scholarship is to assist Hong Kong boys and girls who, without a substantial monetary grant would not be able to attempt to take one of the University's courses.

##### A Chater Clock.

A sum of \$4,613.80 has been received from the Wardens of the Armenian Church, Calcutta, and certain friends of the late Sir Paul Chater in that city. The donors desire that the money should be spent on a clock to be installed in the tower of the main building of the University. Arrangements are being made with a local firm to have the clock installed, as soon as possible.

##### Biological Laboratory.

The building at the western entrance to the University which was used for the housing of artisans and coolies was converted during 1929 into a biological laboratory. This was an indispensable development.

##### Ricci Hall.

During the year under review an important addition to the hostel accommodation provided for students was made by the opening on December 16, 1929, of Ricci Hall under the management and control of the Jesuit Fathers of the English Assinency. This hostel is situated on the Pokfulam Road within easy reach of the main University buildings and has accommodation for thirty-five students. The resident staff consist of a warden, a qualified doctor and a qualified engineer. The hostel has a library of its own and special facilities are offered for extramural tutorial work.

##### Women's Hostel.

The scheme for providing a hotel for the women students of the University is proceeding slowly. Up to date a sum of \$18,000 has been collected and the estimated cost of the scheme is \$120,000. In 1929 there were thirty-eight women students on the University's rolls and residential accommodation could only be arranged for fourteen of them in the premises rented for the purpose by the Church Missionary Society.

##### Careers for Graduates.

There was a time when there was no room in the commercial and industrial firms of the Colony for the University graduate; but he is now wanted by some such concerns and the demand for him is growing. Firms like Messrs. Butterfield & Swire, the Asiatic Petroleum Co., and the China Light and Power Co., have indicated not only their willingness to encourage the University's graduates to employment with them but also their intention to provide them with facilities for showing their worth in actual practice. Messrs. John Swire & Sons, Ltd., London, have also recently approved a scheme whereby two graduates elected by the University and likely to profit by special study and practical experience in England will be annually provided with free passage to and from England.

The question of the larger employment of graduates in Government service was also under consideration during the period under review and the Government have recently decided to appoint two qualified graduates in engineering to probationary posts in the Public Works Department.



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##### The Financial Outlook.

The gloom of the financial outlook obscures all other consideration. During the last six years the University has scraped along, paying its way and showing at the end of each year some balance in its favour. The budget estimates for 1930 as approved by the University Court in December last, show an estimated expenditure of \$668,345 as against an anticipated income of \$603,500. In other words, in December, 1929, it was expected that there would be on the working of the University during 1930 a deficit of a little over \$60,000. Owing to currency developments which have occurred since then the anticipated deficit on the year's working can not be put at any figure smaller than \$100,000. Reference has already been made to the Salaries Committee's Report and to the additional subvention of \$200,000 a year for which, on the resolution of the University Court, application has been made to Government. The dollar had remained at 1s. 6d. when the Government was asked to increase the annual subvention; the University would have been in a position to give effect to the Salaries Committee's recommendations and at the same time to balance its budget for 1930.

As things have turned out, the adoption in their entirety of the increased salary scales would land the University, if the increased annual subvention be not voted, in an annual deficit of not less than 3 lakhs, while, even if the subvention be voted, this adoption would mean, unless new sources of income be discovered, that the University would be involving itself in annually recurring financial liabilities which are likely to exceed its annual income by a sum which can not be stated at less than \$2 lakhs.

##### That Boxer Indemnity.

For an institution like a university which has an estimated income of about \$6 lakhs to launch out into expenditure of 5 or 6 lakhs a year, there is only one prospect and that an early one—namely financial collapse. And yet the situation revealed by the Salaries Committee's Report is one which does not admit of indefinite postponement. This is the crisis with which the Council of the University finds itself faced. As regards the Boxer Indemnity, last year's report contained the following sentence:—  
"A decision on London has been awaited and there is still apparently another Act of Parliament to be passed by a Government which has yet to be elected."  
The General Election has since taken place but a decision is still awaited.



## DISTINGUISHING WINE BY ITS SMELL.

INTERESTING CROSS-EXAMINATION OF GOVERNMENT EXPERT BY MR. M. K. LO.

### DO WINE RETAILERS SELL CHEAPER SUBSTITUTE FOR SEUNG CHING?

An interesting point as to whether Chinese wine dealers can tell the difference between Seung Ching and weakened spirits of wine, to which a small proportion of rice spirits and water has been added, was brought up at Central Magistracy yesterday, when the case against the licensee of the Po Fung shop was again before Mr. A. W. G. Grantham on a charge of extensive dealings in dutiable wines.

In addition to the licensee, an accountant of the Po Fung shop, together with an assistant, were charged with possession of 30 jars of dutiable wine, which were seized in the premises of the shop in Belchers Street on May 14. All these persons are defended by Mr. M. K. Lo.

The licensee of the Tin Wo distillery of Castle Peak is charged with having assisted in extensive dealings in dutiable wine. He is being defended by Mr. F. X. d'Almada, Sur.

### FULL DETAILS OF YESTERDAY'S HEARING.

When proceedings commenced yesterday, Mr. Lo indicated to his Worship that certain admissions on his part might help to shorten the case. He said that he admitted that the figures, indicating the quantity of wine which Mr. Taylor alleged his clients had sold between February and May, were correct.

Revenue Officer Trengrove was then called into the box, when he was cross-examined by Mr. Lo. He stated that when he visited the Po Fung shop on February 10, he was accompanied by a Chinese Revenue Officer. He found roughly 70 jars of wine and he said that he could not agree with Mr. Lo that his examination of the quantity of wine in the shop was quite perfunctory.

Mr. Taylor, at this stage, told the Court that if the defence was that the spirit was already on the premises during Chinese New Year, obviously a good deal of it would have been in jars, which would, therefore, have been left over for two or three months. Consequently Mr. Taylor submitted that he should call evidence to show whether the jars and the labels were dirty.

Mr. Lo submitted that even though a few of the customers might say that the labels appeared to be fresh, it would not exclude the fact that some of the other labels might have been old.

The Chinese Revenue Officer who accompanied R.O. Trengrove stated that he did not think there were as many as eight or nine hundred jars of spirit of wine in the premises. In answer to Mr. Lo, he admitted that he did not take any special note of the quantity of wine on the premises, as he merely followed the Inspector around and obtained such information as was required.

#### Lam Wing Only a Salesman?

The licensee of the Cheung On wine and spirit shop gave details of purchases made by him from the Po Fung shop between February and May this year. He said that when the wines reached him, they bore red labels. He bought the wines through a man named Lam Wing (the fourth defendant), and eventually he paid Lam Wing for his purchases.

Cross-examined by Mr. d'Almada, witness said that he always looked upon Lam Wing as the travelling salesman of the Po Fung shop. The licensee of the Cheung On wine and spirit shop also stated that he had bought wine from the Po Fung firm, which sometimes bore green and sometimes red labels. He could not say if the labels were new. In answer to Mr. d'Almada, witness said that he also bought the wine through the Po Fung's representative, Lam Wing.

Mr. H. A. Taylor, giving evidence, said, "On the morning of May 14, I saw 30 jars of spirit at the Po Fung shop. I had three of them opened then and I have since examined the other jars. As a result of my examination, I can state that the spirit which I have examined is not rice-seung-ching, as it was described to me on the 14, but is 'diluted spirit' of wine with a little rice spirit in it. I say that because this spirit is a practically neutral spirit; it has practically no acidity and has only a small proportion of esters, whereas genuine rice spirit is made by the distillation of rice in the distillery in the Colony, has a high proportion of acidity and esters. Spirits of this type could not have been paid duty through any local distillery. That is from my own personal knowledge. I make occasional visits myself, and Revenue Officers are always looking out for spirits of this type to stop its importation.

From the fact that this is made from spirits of wine, it is dutiable spirits are not the ordinary duty-paid spirits bought in the Colony.

#### An Offer to a Witness.

Mr. Lo (cross-examining): I would like to make you an offer. Do you suggest that the retail shop can tell that this wine is not seung-ching?

Mr. Taylor: I think they can. A good many of them actually sell this kind of stuff.

I want to ask you if you suggest that an honest retail shop must necessarily be able to distinguish and tell that this is spirit?—A really genuine dealer could tell at once.

Would you accept my offer and get one of your own witnesses—one of the purchasers from the Po Fung whom you have outside this Court—to come in and say what this wine is?—Of course, they will say seung-ching because they have sold it as such.

Do you suggest the presence of spirit of wine is very easily discoverable?—Yes, by smell and by taste.

Do you suggest that an honest retail man can tell by the smell that there is spirit of wine in it?—No. I said by smell and by taste.

#### Passed by Revenue Department.

I am glad you say so, because I am going to try to refresh your mind of one or two instances in your own department where you failed to tell the presence of spirit of wine. You remember some time ago a firm imported wine which passed through the importation shed, and duty was levied on it, and the wine was taken away from the shop, and later, on information received of something, the wine was seized and examined again, was found to contain spirit of wine and was sent back to Macao?—Yes?

Therefore, an experienced inspector did not find the difference?—An inspector—not an experienced one—did not find the difference that day, but the wine was strong and he sent me a sample of it, although he passed it in the meantime.

You say this wine could not have paid duty because no duty could have been paid in Hong Kong?—Yes.

Take that particular case. If your inspector had not found the sample to be too strong, there would have been 200 jars of that wine in the Colony on which duty had been paid?—Yes.

And that shop who imported the wine would have dealt merrily in it?—Yes.

Therefore, on your own argument, you would be prepared to swear that that wine was not duty paid merely because spirit of wine was in it?—Since that day I take special pains to show each man on the wine examination shed what this spirit of wine is like.

I know of your vigilance, but I do say that the man who might want to buy wine might have this stuff "palmed off" on him?—He might.

#### Element of Mystery.

This closed the case for the prosecution, and Mr. Lo then addressed his Worship for the defence. He said, "In the whole of this case an element of mystery has been introduced by reason of one or two off-hand phrases such as 'secret book'. That book was found in the drawer of the shop—presumably belonging to the accountant or licensee. You would expect an important book to be in a proper place of the kind, that is, so properly locked up. The first thing, therefore, I would ask your Worship to try and forget is that there is really a secret book. If it is simply not lying about for anybody to pick up, then it is no more secret than the cash ledger or balance sheet of any firm."

(Continued on next column.)

## BOOK-KEEPER PLEADS GUILTY.

ADMITS EMBEZZLEMENT OF LARGE AMOUNT.

SIX MONTHS FOR DISHONEST SERVANT.

Pleading guilty to a charge of embezzlement of \$4,352.80 from his employers, Messrs. A. Goeke and Company, China Building, Lau Siu Ming, described as a book-keeper, was sentenced to six months' hard labour when he appeared before Mr. A. W. G. Grantham at the Central Magistracy yesterday.

Mr. H. C. Macnamara appeared for the prosecution and stated that the defalcations were committed during the period July 13, 1929, to May 27, 1930. His false entries were discovered on Tuesday, when he was delivered to the Police.

## THE LATE MR. WILLIAM KEEGAN.

ESTATE IN HONG KONG WORTH \$8,300.

The late Mr. William Keegan, formerly first-class overseer in the Public Works Department, Hong Kong, who died intestate on May 4, 1929, left estate in Hong Kong to the amount of \$8,300 in cash and shares.

He was formerly of Ballyroo Church Town, Athy, Kildare, Ireland, where he left estate worth £1,543 3s. 1d.

Letters of administration have been applied for and granted locally on behalf of Mr. James Keegan, brother. Deceased's mother renounced her rights.

Our case is that up to now we have had all our purchases of wine through the fourth defendant, Lam Wing. Lam Wing is not only our broker, but we know him to be a very pushing and energetic man. We know him to be a licensee of the Tin Wo distillery and we know him as an agent of another wine shop, also a broker of Hong Moon tea, also a broker for a firm dealing in pickled goods, and we also know him as a broker for a wine mesh shop, and finally he is employed by a firm of soap-makers, as a broker.

#### The Secret Book.

We say that the book—the secret book—is correct, up to date, and a full book, and if your Worship will look back to Mr. Taylor's opening, you will find Mr. Taylor was kind enough to concede that the secret book was all right except that it did not record names of five firms. I went over it very fully, and on coming in this Court I was told that Mr. Taylor had sent me a chit (which I did not receive) admitting that that statement has to be corrected, because two of the shops, which he had in mind, have been mentioned. That leaves three shops.

My case is that this secret book was a book which was kept for the purpose of collecting payments, etc. It was not defective in any particular. We say that it did not mention the three shops for the best of all reasons. That these purchases were not effective through Lam Wing. We say this book is a record of transactions with Lam Wing, who is our broker. There was some business done direct from the shop and you will find these dealings recorded in the books. Your Worship sees that they have not been prosecuted because they choose to make certain omissions and additions in their books.

#### Competitive Prices.

The defendants will tell you that the sole reason for putting in a few firms' names in one of the challenged books is to try and induce certain dealers to quote competitive prices. Against these names, therefore, cheaper prices have been entered. At any rate they are entirely fictitious and there is no reason why they should not be fictitious unless your Worship finds that we made them for the purpose of defrauding the revenue.

You will hear from the licensee and from the two defendants that they did not trouble about the books very much. The real book is the secret book which we say records all transactions. We say that there were 500 jars of wine at the shop at the end of the last Chinese year. With all this, we bought from three firms, and adding 35 per cent. of water, as we are entitled to do, we got a total of 1,400 jars. We admit we sold 1,382 jars. This figure includes our calculation of having sold 68 jars retail in the shop and, of course, 20 jars is now in the custody of the Import and Export Department.

The licensee of the Po Fung wine shop then gave evidence, after which the hearing was adjourned until Saturday morning.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

### THE DWINDLING DOLLAR.

[TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONG KONG DAILY PRESS."]

SIR,—Referring to the various correspondence appearing in the different local papers lately regarding the continuous drop in the exchange, I consider it is simply a waste of time.

The dollar must either be fixed or Hong Kong must have a gold standard.

Should nothing come out of this Commission of Enquiry, as it did a few years ago, the only remedy will be to call a public meeting and send a petition to the Home Government by cable. A subscription could be started for the cost of the cable. I should only be too glad to contribute my share.—Yours etc.

PETITION.

Hong Kong, May 28.

### AN INTERESTING PRECEDENT.

[TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONG KONG DAILY PRESS."]

SIR,—I see that one of the strongest reasons given by the opponents of a change from a fluctuating to a fixed currency is that, whilst China continues her present currency based on the market value of silver, we must do the same.

I remember the case of British Honduras. This is a small British Colony in Central America, which does a transit trade, and has commercial relations with the neighbouring Republics of Mexico, Guatemala and Honduras.

The coinage in use in British Honduras consisted, at one time, of the silver dollars minted by nearly all the Central and South American Republics, and when an agitation was started to abolish this unsatisfactory state of affairs and establish a currency on a gold basis, great use was made of this same argument about trade with the neighbouring countries, and, how necessary it was to continue on the old silver basis if business was to be continued with them.

British Honduras got its gold basis currency about thirty years ago, and I have never heard yet of any great desire there to return to a fluctuating silver currency in order to do business with other countries.—Yours, etc.

#### GOLD BASIS.

Hong Kong, May 28.

### A WORD TO CORRESPONDENTS.

[We have received a letter signed "Unselfish" which appears to be written in reply to the letter in yesterday's issue from "Exchange Expert," but unfortunately is even less helpful and informative than that cynical gentleman's contribution. We shall be pleased to publish any letters on the currency question which are calculated to assist in an understanding of the problem or which offer suggestions for remedying its difficulties. Advocates of a gold, silver, paper, or credit standard are welcome to express their ideas in our columns freely on one condition only—that their views are expressed in terms which are courteous even towards those for whose opinions they may have profound contempt. In other words, unparliamentary language cannot be permitted.—Ed.]

### PUBLIC BEACHES.

[TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONG KONG DAILY PRESS."]

SIR,—May I ask your assistance in a little matter that may have escaped the powers that be. I am one of the thousands of poor unfortunate who, by reason of the lean condition of my purse, cannot afford to go out to Repulse Bay whenever I want to swim.

Further, by reason of my nationality I cannot enjoy the excellent and cheap amenities available at the various Chinese bathing-club at North Point.

I am compelled by circumstances, whenever I want to swim, to go to the public beach at North Point. Here I find that there is no shower bath available, with the result that all the effects of a refreshing swim are nullified.

When I reach home, I have to wash off the sticky salt water. I see that provisions have been made for a shower bath, but for some reason or other it is not available. I wonder whether the pipes are not connected to the mains. All private bathing-club at North Point, however, have shower-baths. Why is that so? Can the Government do something about it?—Yours, etc.

SALTED HERRING.

Hong Kong, May 28.

## UNGRATEFUL GUEST.

CHARGED WITH THEFT OF HOST'S JEWELLERY.

DEFENDANT PROMISES TO RESTORE PROPERTY.

When Wong King Kung (16), a student from Canton, was charged with stealing \$457 worth of jewellery from his friend, Chan Siu Yung, Detective Sergeant J. Murphy told Mr. A. W. G. Grantham at the Central Magistracy yesterday that "he is a young fellow who has got into bad company."

According to the police officer, the larceny was committed on May 23 and the defendant was arrested on May 23 on board the s.s. Taishan, which was then on the point of sailing to Canton.

When the defendant arrived in the Colony from Canton on May 30, he was invited by Chan Siu Yung to stay at 65, Robinson Road. After living there for two days, the accused disappeared with two diamond rings, a gold watch chain, and a pair of jade cuff-links. The gold watch chain and cuff-links were disposed of for the sum of \$160, but the rings were still in the possession of the defendant when he was apprehended.

Replying to the Magistrate, the defendant intimated that he was willing to pay \$100 to the complainant for his missing articles. He also expressed repentance for his foolish act.

His Worship accordingly remanded the defendant for 48 hours to afford him an opportunity of raising that sum.

### ALLEGED THEFT FROM JAPANESE COAL YARD.

CASE DISMISSED.

Before Mr. Whyte-Smith yesterday, three members of the Chuk Lo coal dealers were charged with stealing coal from the M.B.K. yard, and alternatively, receiving the coal knowing it to have been stolen or unlawfully obtained.

Mr. G. S. Hughes-Jones appeared for the first two defendants, who were described as partners of the firm.

Giving evidence, a Japanese tallyman said that he was on duty at 3:30 a.m. on Sunday last when he saw a man carrying a sack. As soon as the man saw him (the tallyman), he threw down the sack and ran away.

Further evidence was given by an Indian watchman, after which the Magistrate held that there was not sufficient evidence to convict, and accordingly dismissed the case.

### A "KICK" FROM KOWLOON.

[TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONG KONG DAILY PRESS."]

SIR,—Oh, dear me! why must people always criticise the already over-worked Government officials! There is "Lux," for instance, kicking because the City Fathers in their extreme generosity—expand the small sum of \$410,500 (I wish I had 10 per cent. of it) per annum on teaching 2398 youngsters (bless their little souls!) the intricacies of Euclid, and so forth. It is not really wonderful, Sir, how the Powers that be can always find—with the assistance of our Unofficials!—money for any and every useless undertaking, whilst such an urgent and real need as a Red Cross launch could not be afforded!

Whoever designed the Kowloon Hospital overlooked the insignificant fact that Kowloon wives are just as likely to become mothers as their Peak sisters—for no provision whatsoever had been made for a maternity ward.

The result is that an expectant mother (in Kowloon) has the option of entering a hospital (in Hong Kong) a day or two before the expected arrival of the new one, or run the risk of it arriving whilst she (the mother) is en route to the hospital. (Even with everything in her favour—that is, without having to wait for the ferry, etc.—it will take her between 25 and 30 minutes to reach either the G.C.H. or the French Hospital.)

The reason why I use the case of an expectant mother instead of an invalid as an illustration is that the Government can always say, in reply to the latter, that he or she should enter the Kowloon Hospital. Supporting the patient is too poor to be able to afford medical attendance and want to enter, say, the Matilda Hospital (which, by the way, is the only free hospital for foreigners in Hong Kong), what then? Is it fair to have a sick man exposed to the stare of every Tom, Dick, Harry or Chan that might be crossing the street at that time? Oh! what a life!

What if the Kowloon Residents Association or the Unofficial Members of the Legislative Council (or Finance Committee) will seriously take up the matter with the Government? I wonder!—Yours, etc.

KOWLOONITE.

Kowloon, May 28.

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**KING'S ILLNESS.****A DEFINITE IMPROVEMENT.****NOT PRESENT AT ROYAL COURTS.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

LONDON, May 27.

The temporary indisposition of His Majesty the King, announced this morning, is not of a serious nature and has no connection with his recent illness.

The announcement stated that for some days His Majesty has suffered from a painful though localised rheumatism of the right hip, and that although he has been advised not to attend the Royal Courts being held to-night and to-morrow, he hopes to fulfil engagements later in the week.

The ceremonial of the Court involves considerable physical strain which would, in the circumstances, have been painful to the King. Consequently the Queen, escorted by the Prince of Wales, is holding the Courts to-night and to-morrow. It is thought that the attack of rheumatism is largely attributable to the recent period of cold, damp weather.

The King's engagements later in the week include attendance at the opening of the Royal Tournament on Thursday and a reception of the delegation of the Congress of Imperial Chambers of Commerce on Friday.

The attack is not interfering with His Majesty's routine work at the Palace, and he received visitors to-day as usual.

**A Definite Improvement.**

LONDON, May 28.

It is officially stated that the King's rheumatism has definitely improved.

**REPARATIONS LOAN.****CHANCELLOR ON BOND ISSUE.****PROPOSALS STILL UNDER DISCUSSION.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

LONDON, May 27.

Answering a number of questions regarding the Reparations Loan under the Young plan, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Philip Snowden, in the House of Commons to-day, said detailed conditions of the proposed issue of reparation bonds were still under discussion between the representatives of the Governments and of the banks concerned, and he could not yet say definitely what the precise form of the bonds would be.

Mr. Snowden added that he had made it clear to the British representatives that he could not agree to any modification of the provisions included in the experts' plan with a view to protecting the interests of the London Market, and, in particular, that he would object to any arrangement under which either principal or interest on the bonds of foreign issue was payable at the option of the holder in sterling at par or exchange. Subject to this, the details of the bonds would have to be settled by agreement consistently with the plan.

It would not have been possible to ensure the success of the loan if no issue had taken place in London, and he did not think it would have been reasonable or consistent with the position of London as a financial centre to refuse an issue in London, provided that it was subject to the condition that the proceeds would be paid to the British Exchequer.

Mr. Snowden added that the money subscribed would be applied to the redemption of the National Debt.

**CENTRAL NOTTS BY-ELECTION.****CONSERVATIVES RETAIN SEAT.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

LONDON, May 28.

The Central Nottingham by-election, resulting as follows:

A. J. Bennett, resulted as follows:  
T. J. O'Connor (Cons.) ... 14,946  
A. E. Waterson (Lab.) ... 7,923  
Captain R. C. Berkeley (Lib.) ... 4,848

Mr. O'Connor, though the official Conservative candidate, is an Empire-free trader. The question of unemployment was the chief issue.

**GREAT WELCOME BY QUEENSLANDERS.****GIRL FLYER'S TRIUMPHANT PROGRESS.****SECRET OF HER SUCCESS.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

LONDON, May 27.

Miss Amy Johnson completed another stage of her flight across Australia to-day. Yesterday she flew from Port Darwin across a desolate region in northern territory to Alexandra Station, about 500 miles distant. To-day she covered another 600 miles to Long Reach.

To-morrow she will probably arrive at Brisbane, the capital of Queensland. There she hopes to have a long telephone talk with her parents in England.

Lord Wakefield, who assisted Miss Johnson in the England-Australia venture, made a reference to her during a speech to-day.

He said: "If you ask me how it is that this young girl, with less than one hundred hours' flying experience, was able to accomplish this long and dangerous journey in a machine that had already flown 33,000 miles, I would attribute it to her having three great qualities, courage, enthusiasm and efficiency."

**A Great Welcome.**

SYDNEY, May 27.

Miss Amy Johnson arrived at Long Reach at 5.33 p.m. to-day. She was welcomed by the greatest crowd ever seen in West Queensland, motor cars arriving all night long to greet her.

**THE LATE LORD DAVIDSON.****TRIBUTES IN HOUSE OF LORDS.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

LONDON, May 27.

Members of the House of Lords to-day paid tributes to the memory of the late Archbishop, Lord Davidson, when special emphasis was laid upon his ability as a conciliator. The Archbishop of Canterbury, his successor in the Primacy, said: "I have never known a man in whom there was combined a greater sense of responsibility of his office and a more humble sense of himself."

**SIR JOHN SIMON.****TO RESUME PRACTICE AT THE BAR.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

LONDON, May 27.

Sir John Simon, Chairman of the Royal Commission on Indian Affairs, which signed a unanimous report yesterday, has intimated his intention of returning to his practice at the Bar almost immediately. Sir John is one of the most successful counsel in the history of the British Bar, and his practice is said to have produced something like £50,000 a year. He sacrificed two years ago to devote his whole time to the work of the Indian Commission.

**BRITAIN'S RICHEST MAN.****DEATH OF LORD ASHTON.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

LONDON, May 27.

The death occurred to-day of Lord Ashton, aged 88. He was a wealthy manufacturer and reputed to be the richest man in Britain. He contributed large sums to charities, mainly in his native county of Lancashire.

**A SPARTAN MINISTER.****ATTENDS COMMONS WITH BROKEN COLLARBONE.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

LONDON, May 27.

Although knocked down by a motor-car when leaving the House of Commons last night and receiving a broken collarbone, Mr. Arthur Greenwood, Minister of Health, was present at his Parliamentary duties to-day.

**WORLD'S HIGHEST STRUCTURE.****IN NEW YORK.****[REUTERS' AMERICAN SERVICE.]**

New York, May 28.

The 75-story Chrysler building (1,050 feet high) claimed as the world's highest structure, was opened yesterday.

**WOOLLEN TRADE DISPUTE.****UGLY INCIDENT AT BRADFORD.****COMMUNIST RAID ON TOWN HALL.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

LONDON, May 28.

There was an ugly development in the Yorkshire wool wages dispute when a crowd of 3,000, after a Communist meeting, rushed the Bradford Town Hall last night in an attempt to rescue seven persons who had been arrested earlier, following rioting outside a mill where wool-combers were working.

The Police used batons and many arrests were made; eight rioters and one policeman were injured.

**TRADE WITHIN THE EMPIRE.****TRADE UNION CONGRESS' RECOMMENDATION.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

LONDON, May 27.

A remarkable report has been drawn up by an influential Economic Committee of the Trade Union Congress unanimously recommending that at the forthcoming Imperial Conference it will be in the interests of the Trade Union movements for the Socialist Party to press for the fullest possible development of economic relations between Britain and the Dominions. The report further urges the creation of machinery, and if necessary, agreements with the Dominions for the further development of inter-Commonwealth trade, and the best possible distribution of economic activities within the British Commonwealth.

The report will come before the General Council to-day, but it is not expected that any immediate decision will be taken.

LONDON, May 28.

The committee of the Trade Union Council is of the opinion that Great Britain cannot be a part of the United States of Europe under Mr. Briand's scheme while maintaining her place in the British Empire. It cites arguments in favour of the formation of a British Commonwealth group as a necessary step towards ultimate world economic unity.

**BRITISH FISHING RIGHTS.****AGREEMENT WITH RUSSIA.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

LONDON, May 27.

The Anglo-Russian temporary fisheries agreement, which comes into force immediately and is to serve as a *modus vivendi* pending the conclusion of a formal convention, permits British registered fishing boats to fish at a distance of from three to twelve geographical miles from low water mark along the northern coasts of Russia and the islands dependent thereon, and permits them to navigate and anchor in all waters contiguous to these coasts.

As regards bays, the distance is measured from a line drawn across the bay in the part nearest the entrance at the first point where the width does not exceed ten miles. In the White Sea, British fishing boats may fish north of Latitude 68 degrees 10 North outside three miles from land. The waters to which the agreement applies lie between Meridians 30 and 40.

Nothing in the agreement is to prejudice the views held by either Government as to the limits in international law of territorial waters. There are two Protocols, one providing that the agreement shall not entitle British fishing boats to navigate in Russian inland or other waters which may be closed to foreign vessels generally, and the other to the effect that the British Government adheres to their view as to the right of British fishing boats to fish in waters to which the temporary agreement does not apply and reserving the right to reopen the question of limits specified therein when the negotiations for a formal Convention take place.

**BIG OIL MERGER.****SOCONY AND ANGLO-AMERICAN.****[REUTERS' AMERICAN SERVICE.]**

New York, May 27.

The Standard Oil Corporation is increasing its capital in order to acquire the Anglo-American Oil Company.

The merger will be carried out by means of an exchange of stock on the basis of one Standard Oil five per cent. preference share for each five and five-ninths shares in the Anglo-American.

**RANGOON RIOTS.****OVER FIFTY KILLED.****TROOPS AND POLICE DISARM MOBS.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

RANGOON, May 27.

Ten Indians are reported to have been killed as a result of further Indo-Burman collisions which occurred here this afternoon. Up to the present fifty-four corpses have been taken to the mortuary since the trouble started.

A Government communiqué shows that the Police were forced to fire on three or four occasions during the riots when the rival mobs showed an ugly temper towards them.

It is known that Burmese parties murdered many Andhras in their houses, but at the present time the numbers are not ascertainable.

The Cameron Highlanders, armed with machine guns, strengthened the Police and helped to disarm the armed parties. Strong parties are now guarding the main road to prevent an inflow of fresh trouble-some elements.

Both sets of rioters caused considerable damage to property and there was some looting yesterday evening.

**Death-roll Increases.**

RANGOON, May 28.

The communal feeling is dying down and there was no trouble last night. The city is quiet this morning.

To-day's hospital returns show an increase of ten dead and 46 injured.

**ECHO OF DARING COUP.****VENEZUELAN RAID ON DUTCH COLONY.****EX-OFFICIAL SENT FOR TRIAL.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

THE HAGUE, May 28.

Captain Borren, ex-Commander of Curacao has been sent for trial by general court-martial on a charge of culpable negligence for allowing 500 Venezuelans under the revolutionary General Urbina on June last, to enter Willemstad undetected and seize the fort.

The raiders looted the armoury and escaped to Venezuela in an American steamer which was commandeered at the dock side, carrying off the governor, the Commandant of police and several other officials. The constabulary, surprised in the ensuing fight, lost a sergeant-major and a sergeant and a corporal killed and many wounded. The hostages were allowed to return after the raiders landed in Venezuela.

**NEW GERMAN AMBASSADOR.****BARON VON NEURATH.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

BERLIN, May 28.

It is learned that the British Government has agreed to the appointment of Baron von Neurath as Ambassador to London. Baron von Neurath has been Ambassador to Italy since 1926.

**CALCUTTA SWEEP TOTALS****£900,000.****THREE FIRST PRIZES £125,000 EACH.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

CALCUTTA, May 27.

The total pool of the Calcutta Sweep amounts to £900,000. It is expected that the first prize will be tripartite in amounts of about £125,000 each.

Tickets drawing starters will be worth about £800 each.

**ADMIRAL KATO AND NAVAL TREATY.****REMOVAL OF RESIGNATION.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

TOKYO, May 28.

Admiral Kato has not resigned in spite of rumours to the contrary. Even if his resignation should occur the Naval Treaty will be unaffected.

**RIOTING SPREADS TO LUCKNOW.****"VOLUNTEERS" CLASH WITH POLICE.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

LUCKNOW, May 27.

Four people are reported to have been killed and three injured in serious trouble which broke out here, during which fourteen Policemen were sent to hospital with injuries. Curfew has been promulgated. It is officially announced that volunteers came into conflict with the Police and military in the busiest centre of the city.

The crowd was pushed back but re-formed again when the Police and military withdrew. The mob then attacked a Police outpost. The Police fired fifty-seven shots at short range in self-defence. The mob then divided into gangs and these are now hostilely parading through the city.

**Origin of Trouble at Bhandi.**

BOMBAY, May 27.

The situation in Bhandi Bazaar is now normal. The origin of the trouble is explained by a communiqué stating that a European Police sergeant vigorously remonstrated with a Mahomedan for cruelly beating a dog with a loaded stick.

The incident occurred near the Police officer's quarters. The Mahomedan refused to desist and the officer struck him with his fist. The man then made off and brought back his associates, who assaulted the Sergeant.

The latter escaped in a motor car and his assailants then began to stone the Police Station.

**All Quiet in Riot Area.**

BOMBAY, May 28.

All is quiet this morning. The shops in the riot area are open and traffic is moving freely.

**More Deaths at Dacca.**

DACCRA, May 27.

Ten Hindus and four Mahomedans have died out of the forty-four taken to hospital with injuries received during the week-end riot which followed a Moslem lad being hit while playing with Hindu lads.

**Chittagong Rewards.**

CHITTAGONG, May 27.

Monetary rewards are being offered for the apprehension of twenty persons wanted in connection with the attack on the armoury in March.

**"HOLY WAR" AGAINST SOVIET.****SIBERIAN MOHAMMEDANS UP IN ARMS.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

PEKING, May 28.

A foreign report from Harbin alleges that the anti-Communist movement is spreading rapidly over all sections of Siberia, and that Mohammedans east of the Volga and Western Siberia have declared a holy war against the Soviet.

**SOVIET AIR RAID ON MANCHULI.****JAPANESE VICTIMS INDEMNIFIED.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

TOKYO, March 28.

A message from Manchuli states that an agreement has been signed between the Japanese and Soviet Consuls stipulating that the Soviet should pay a \$1,500 yen indemnity to the Japanese victims in the air raid on Manchuli last November, in which one Japanese was killed and two injured.

**SEQUEL TO INDO-CHINA REBELLION.****FURTHER DEATH SENTENCES.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

HANOI, May 27.

Ten people have been sentenced to death by the Criminal Commission at Phuth for participation in the attack at Mungho and the siege of Lamthao during the native uprising in the year.

Four of these had previously been sentenced to death at Yen Bai for complicity in the outbreak there. Twenty-six others were sentenced to penal servitude for life, ten to shorter terms of imprisonment, and thirty-eight ordered to be deported.

**ATTACK ON MORO STRONGHOLDS.****PHILIPPINE CONSTABULARY START CLEAN-UP.****REBEL LEADERS DESTROY BRIDGES.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

MANILA, May 28.

Constabulary forces in Mindanao are starting to-day to clean up Moro fortresses in Lanao Province. A heavily armed contingent is advancing on a strongly fortified position at Tagaya, where Datu Ganassi and Surlan Maamur are entrenched with unknown reserves and plenty of ammunition.

The advancing Constabulary, under Colonel Luther Stevens found two bridges destroyed; they halted in order to repair them and are continuing their march. An attack is expected before night.

**NATIONALISTS NOW IN BAD PLIGHT.****POSITION OF TROOPS PRECARIOUS.****WU PEI FU RECEIVES HIGH OFFICE IN HUPEH.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

The position of the Nationalist troops appears to have become very precarious. It is reliably reported that the setback suffered by the Nationalists during the past few days is very serious. The Nanking regime is said to be panic-stricken. The following summary of telegraphic advices of Chinese origin from Shanghai gives details of the latest fighting on the different fronts:—

On the Lunghai Railway line, the Nationalist troops under Liu Chih and Ku Chu Tung—Chiang Kai Shek's most loyal troops—were routed at Yehchikang on the evening of the 24th instant, when over 20,000 of them were taken prisoner, in addition to many casualties. Ku is reported to have been killed during the action.

**Marshal Yen's Flat.**

Yen Hsi Shan, who is staying at Shihchiachwang, has ordered his troops to capture Hsuehchow, the headquarters of the Nationalists, in ten days.

On the Tientsin-Pukow Railway line, the Shansi troops have been steadily advancing southward in Shantung, where the military situation has now become critical. They are making another attempt to cross the Yellow River to attack Tsinanfu, the capital of Shantung Province. Over 15,000 additional Shansi troops have been sent to this sector from Hopei Province to assist in the campaign. The loyalists under Han Fu Chu are reported to have abandoned Hokeiwen and fallen back on Ansheng. The Shansi troops are attacking Yucheng, which is expected to fall in the not distant future. Many Government troops under Ma Hung Kwei have been rushed to Yucheng from Western Shantung. The position of the Shansi troops there is very favourable.

Yen Hsi Shan has appointed Tang Seng Chi, an ex-rebel leader whose troops were routed by the Nationalists a few months ago, commander of the insurgent troops to attack Western Shantung. Yen has also appointed Wu Pei Fu Defense Commissioner of Hupeh and Shensi and ordered him to march his troops to join the Kouminchun.

**Communications Hampered.**

On the Peking-Hankow Railway line, the Kouminchun are counter-attacking Linying. The railway tracks and telegraphic lines at Huayuan were recently destroyed by the Communists, and consequently the transport system and communications of the Nationalists have been greatly handicapped.

Sun Liang Cheng, a prominent Kouminchun general, has wired Feng Yu Hsiang to the effect that his troops, who have been ordered to attack Chowchiakow in Honan, recently routed the Nationalists under Chiang Ting Wen, Chao Kwan Tao, Yeh Kai Shing, and Wang Chin Yu at Tchang.

The defeat of the Nationalists on all these fronts is ascribed chiefly to the superior fighting ability of the Honanese troops under Wan Huan Tai, Sun Tien Ying and Shih Yu San, the allies of the Shansi-Kouminchun coalition. The Shansi troops and the Kouminchun are fresh, as they were not involved in the previous fighting.

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**50,000 SURRENDER!****FURTHER CLAIMS BY NORTHERNERS.****DIFFICULTY OF ACCOMMODATING PRISONERS.****[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]**

PEKING, May 28.

Military headquarters claim that such masses of prisoners have arrived at Chengchow that they cannot be accommodated; hence orders have been given to form concentration camps at Hsienchien and Changteh. "At a low estimate more than 50,000 have surrendered."

It is also claimed that the Nanking forces are in full retreat to the Peking-Hankow Railway.

Vernacular papers state that the Shansi troops, crossed the Yellow River to the north of Tsinan and are approaching that city.

**BANDITRY IN MODEL DISTRICT.****PROPOSED CLEAN-UP IN CHUNGSHAN.****[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]**

CANTON, May 28.

A big campaign is being launched for the suppression of the bandits and outlaws in Chungshan, the so-called "Model District" of China. These desperadoes have of late been very active. They are nearly all ex-soldiers and are well armed, and possess a number of steam launches. Their recent destruction of the Tunghing junk and the village of Sifoo, close to Shekhi, involving big loss of life and property, constitutes a case of atrocious unparalleled in the history of Chungshan.

A fleet of gunboats is being dispatched to clean up the district.

**JAPANESE GIFT TO CANTON.****BRONZE STATUE OF DR. SUN.****[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]**

CANTON, May 28.

A big bronze statue of the late Dr. Sun Yat Sen, presented to Canton by a group of Japanese, arrived from Shanghai to-day. The statue was made in Japan by a noted Japanese sculptor, and was first shipped to Shanghai, where it was on display for some time.

A group of four Japanese, including the sculptor himself, came to Canton with the statue, and the Canton Government is preparing to give them a hearty welcome. The statue will be placed on the campus of the Whampoa Military Academy.

Chiang Kai Shek's "Ironclad" another ally of the Shansi-Kouminchun coalition, have entered Pao-king, in Hunan, threatened to attack Hankow. The public in Hankow have become very uneasy in this connection. Chiang Kai Shek has urged the Cantonese troops to enter Hunan in pursuit. He has also instructed the Hunan Governor, General Ho Chien, to dispatch troops to deal with them. It is unlikely that Ho, who is sitting on the fence, will obey the order in view of the recent defeat of the Nationalist troops.

**A Young Opportunist.**

Chang Hsueh Liang, the "Young General" of Manchuria, has still not disclosed his leaning either towards Nanking or the northern group. He is now holding an important conference with his subordinates regarding the present political situation. It is understood that he will help neither side but take advantage of the fighting within the



# Sports News

## THE HONG KONG TENNIS LEAGUE.

### INDIANS HAVE "FIELD DAY."

#### CHINESE ALSO GOING STRONG IN ALL DIVISIONS.

A large programme of tennis matches were carried through yesterday, and the Craigengower Cricket Club created something of a surprise by defeating the R.E.S.C. by five sets to four on their own ground.

The Chinese and Indian Recreation Clubs continue to make good headway in the league, and the latter started off their mixed doubles season well by scoring an easy win over the Ladies Recreation Club by nine sets to nil at Sookunpoo. Their "C" team also brought off a similar victory, at the expense of the Civil Service Cricket Club. There was, however, one postponement, and this was in the U.S.R.C.-Nippon Club match which, originally, was scheduled to take place at King's Park.

### SURPRISE DEFEAT OF R.E.S.C.

#### "B" DIVISION.

##### S.C.A.A. v. Club de Recreio.

On their own ground the South China A.A. lost to the Club de Recreio by seven sets to two.

S. W. Wong and D. K. Lam (S.C.A.A.)

beat A. A. Noronha and J. B. Goncalves 6-1

lost to A. V. Gosana and A. A. Remedios 3-6

lost to H. A. Barros and T. J. Remedios 2-6

L. T. Birk and S. K. Ng (S.C.A.A.)

lost to A. A. Noronha and J. B. Goncalves 4-6

lost to A. V. Gosana and A. A. Remedios 1-6

lost to H. A. Barros and T. J. Remedios 2-6

C. S. Chan and Y. W. Lee (S.C.A.A.)

beat A. A. Noronha and J. B. Goncalves 6-4

lost to A. V. Gosana and A. A. Remedios 2-6

lost to H. A. Barros and T. J. Remedios 3-6

E.Y.M.C.A. v. M.B.K.

On their own ground the European Y.M.C.A. was defeated by the M.B.K. by seven sets to nil. Two sets were left unplayed on account of failing light.

T. J. Price and E. R. Price (Y.M.C.A.)

lost to T. Fujimori and T. Imura 6-2

lost to N. Hayase and T. Ema 6-2

Gray and Keyserling (Y.M.C.A.)

lost to T. Fujimori and T. Imura 6-2

lost to S. Fukushima and K. Matsui 6-2

lost to N. Hayase and T. Ema 6-1

Puncheon and Hast (Y.M.C.A.)

lost to S. Fukushima and K. Matsui 11-9

lost to N. Hayase and T. Ema 8-6

C.O.C. v. R.E.S.C.

Playing at home, Craigengower C.C. created a surprise by winning by the odd set. The scores were:

J. W. Leonard and Y. Hachijima (C.O.C.)

beat Col. Skinner and Col. Wyatt 6-3

beat Major Toth and Capt. de Linde 9-7

beat Major Kerrich and S/M. Atkinson 6-3

G. Lia and A. Kitchell (C.O.C.)

lost to Col. Skinner and Col. Wyatt 5-7

lost to Major Toth and Capt. de Linde 5-7

beat Major Kerrich and S/M. Atkinson 9-7

H. J. Howard and W. J. Howard (C.O.C.)

lost to Col. Skinner and Col. Wyatt 4-6

beat Major Toth and Capt. de Linde 6-9

lost to Major Kerrich and S/M. Atkinson 8-10

C.R.O. v. H.K.C.C.

At Causeway Bay, the Chinese R.C. won by 8 sets to 1. The scores were:

O. Choa and H. Lo (C.R.O.)

beat G. Miskin and B. H. Wild 6-2

beat T. G. Bennett and L. T. Ride 6-2

beat T. C. Monaghan and J. A. Summers 6-3

T. K. Lau and W. C. Cheung (C.R.O.)

beat G. Miskin and B. H. Wild 6-1

beat T. G. Bennett and L. T. Ride 6-1

beat T. C. Monaghan and J. A. Summers 6-3

W. C. Hung and C. C. Chui (C.R.O.)

beat G. Miskin and B. H. Wild 7-5

beat T. G. Bennett and L. T. Ride 6-1

beat T. C. Monaghan and J. A. Summers 6-3

#### K.I.T.C. v. H.K.C.C.

Playing at home the K.I.T.C. lost to H.K.C.C. by eight sets to nil. One set was left undecided on account of failing light. The scores were:

Lal and Firdos Khan (K.I.T.C.)

lost to Divett and Bradley 10-8

lost to Black and Parker 6-4

lost to Gordon and Bowker 12-10

Feroz Ali and Mahan Singh (K.I.T.C.)

lost to Divett and Bradley 11-9

lost to Black and Parker 6-3

Jehan Dad and Iqbal Singh (K.I.T.C.)

lost to Divett and Bradley 6-0

lost to Black and Parker 6-3

lost to Gordon and Bowker 6-4

C.S.C.C. v. I.R.C.

This match was played at Happy Valley and resulted in an easy victory for the Sookunpoo men. The scores were:

V. H. Freeman and G. S. Mitchell (C.S.C.C.)

lost to O. Hoosen and D. Mohammed 2-6

lost to A. R. Minu and S. A. R. Bux 6-3

lost to J. S. Akker and N. B. Kitchell 5-7

J. Pengelly and F. Savage (C.S.C.C.)

lost to O. Hoosen and D. Mohammed 4-6

lost to A. R. Minu and S. A. R. Bux 3-6

lost to J. S. Akker and N. B. Kitchell 2-6

T. Armstrong and G. H. Fowler (C.S.C.C.)

lost to O. Hoosen and D. Mohammed 2-6

lost to A. R. Minu and S. A. R. Bux 5-7

lost to J. S. Akker and N. B. Kitchell 6-8

K.C.C. v. Filipinos

At King's Park, the K.C.C. scored a 6-3 win over the Filipino Club, the scores being:

R. B. Jackson and H. J. Chuff (K.C.C.)

beat D. Leonard and W. Ogley 6-3

lost to J. M. Cruz and T. Leonard 4-6

beat M. Ruel and T. Bau-tista 6-3

W. Brown and G. C. Burnett (K.C.C.)

beat D. Leonard and W. Ogley 6-3

lost to J. M. Cruz and T. Leonard 4-6

beat M. Ruel and T. Bau-tista 6-3

N. A. E. Mackay and G. Hedley (K.C.C.)

beat D. Leonard and W. Ogley 7-5

lost to J. M. Cruz and T. Leonard 4-8

beat M. Ruel and T. Bau-tista 7-5

O.R.C. v. S.C.A.A.

Playing at home, the Chinese Recreation Club won by the comfortable margin of seven sets to two. The scores were:

P. F. Choy and K. C. Ng (O.R.C.)

beat F. N. Wong and K. S. Siow 6-4

beat K. H. Chan and K. M. Chan 6-0

beat H. K. Ho and K. F. Lui 6-1

L. F. Hon and K. K. Ip (O.R.C.)

lost to F. N. Wong and K. S. Siow 2-6

beat K. H. Chan and K. M. Chan 6-2

beat H. K. Ho and K. F. Lui 6-2

M. K. Lau and T. L. Lu (O.R.C.)

beat F. N. Wong and K. S. Siow 6-3

beat K. H. Chan and K. M. Chan 6-1

lost to H. K. Ho and K. F. Lui 4-6

MIXED DOUBLES.

I.R.C. v. L.R.C.

The Indians started their mixed doubles season well by beating the Ladies Recreation Club at Sookunpoo by nine sets to nil. The scores were:

Mrs. McCaw and C. A. L. Rumbahn (I.R.C.)

beat Mrs. Fischer and N. L. Bailton 6-0

beat Mrs. Blaise and H. Nibhoff 6-3

beat Mrs. Etherington and Capt. Etherington 6-2

Mrs. Gull and H. D. Rumbahn (I.R.C.)

beat Mrs. Fischer and N. L. Bailton 6-0

beat Mrs. Blaise and H. Nibhoff 6-3

beat Mrs. Etherington and Capt. Etherington 6-1

Miss R. Rumbahn and S. A. Rumbahn (I.R.C.)

beat Mrs. Fischer and N. L. Bailton 6-2

beat Mrs. Blaise and H. Nibhoff 6-4

beat Mrs. Etherington and Capt. Etherington 6-7

G. A. Noronha and L. A. Rocha (I.R.C.)

beat H. P. Khoo and P. P. Khoo 6-0

beat K. K. Khoo and Y. K. Ng 6-3

beat H. L. Tsai and Y. L. Pau 6-3

J. H. Figueroa and M. Oliveira (I.R.C.)

lost to H. P. Khoo and P. P. Khoo 1-6

beat K. K. Khoo and Y. K. Ng 6-3

lost to H. L. Tsai and Y. L. Pau 0-6

G. A. Noronha and L. A. Rocha (I.R.C.)

beat H. P. Khoo and P. P. Khoo 6-0

beat K. K. Khoo and Y. K. Ng 6-0

beat H. L. Tsai and Y. L. Pau 6-5

#### LEAGUE TABLES.

The positions of the teams, up to date, are:

"A" Division.

	P.	W.	L.	Pts.
Indian R.C.	2	2	0	2
Chinese R.C.	1	1	1	1
Hong Kong C.C.	1	0	1	0
South China A.A.	2	0	2	0
Kowloon C.C.	0	0	0	0

"B" Division.

	P.	W.	L.	Pts.
Chinese R.C.	6	6	0	6
Indian R.C.	5	5	0	5
R.E.S.C.	4	3	1	3
Craigengower	4	3	1	3
Club de Recreio	4	3	1	3
U.S.R.C.	4	2	2	2
Kowloon C.C.	4	2	2	2
M.B.K.	4	2	2	2
S.C.A.A.	3	1	2	1
H.K.C.C.	4	1	3	1
Civil Service C.C.	5	1	4	1
Nippon	4	1	3	1
University	6	1	5	1
E.Y.M.C.A.	5	0	5	0

"C" Division.

	P.	W.	L.	Pts.
Chinese R.C.	5	5	0	5
University	5	4	1	4
Indian R.C.	3	3	0	3
South China A.A.	5	3	2	3
Club de Recreio	5	3	2	3
Hong Kong C.C.	6	3	3	3
Filipino Club	5	2	3	2
Nippon Club	3	1	2	1
Kowloon I.T.C.	4	1	3	1
Civil Service C.C.	5	1	4	1
Kowloon C.C.	5	1	4	1

#### LAWN BOWLS.

##### MATCHES AT TAIKOO AND THE VALLEY.

The senior division lawn bowls match between Taikee and Kowloon C.C., which was left unfinished owing to rain on Saturday, will be continued at Taikee to-day, commencing at 3.30 p.m. At the time of stoppage, the home team had a lead of 21 shots on all the rinks, as will be seen from the scores below:

T.A.C. K.C.C.

G. McLeod A. C. Burford

J. Sloan J. Howe

J. Lank B. Petheram

R. Wallace A. E. Silkstone

(S.) 21 (S.) 5

J. B. Chapman H. Gittins

T. Grimes C. J. Tacki

N. Drummond A. Hyde-Lay

J. Ferguson J. Fraser

(S.) 12 (S.) 18

J. C. Chalmers F. Goodwin

J. C. Polson H. Overy

J. Russell J. C. Lyle

W. Wotherspoon L. E. Lammert

(S.) 17 (S.) 6

Total 50 Total 29

Civil Service v. Craigengower.

Civil Service and Craigengower juniors also resume their match this afternoon at 5.15. The position at the uncompleted stage was as follows:

C.S.C.C. C.C.C.

F. H. Holdman W. Ward

R. R. Wood J. M. Ribeiro

J. Denkin P. Dixon

F. Haynes M. V. Field

(S.) 20 (S.) 7

H. E. Strange W. McBride

A. L. de Sousa X. Abbas

J. R. Archibald J. Cavanagh

(S.) 14 (S.) 9

L. R. Whant D. K. Kharas

W. Bickford R. C. Reed

E. L. Holland J. Carr

A. E. Murphy W. Gill

(S.) 13 (S.) 5

Total 47 Total 21

#### MAY 30 INCIDENT GRANT.

##### ORDER FOR MONEY TO BE TURNED OVER.

In connection with the compassionate grant of \$150,000 made by the Municipal Council to victims of the "May 30 Incident," the following report appears in the Shanghai Chinese press:

"After protracted negotiations the Shanghai Municipal Council issued a compassionate grant of \$150,000 to be distributed among the relatives of the May 30 incident. In view of the litigation between the relatives of these victims and certain members of the Association of Relatives, the Secretariat of the Central Kuomintang Headquarters has sent the following order to the Supervisory Committee of the Shanghai Special District Kuomintang.

"We are instructed by the Standing Committee of Central Kuomintang Headquarters to state that the compassionate grant of \$150,000 issued by the Shanghai Municipal Council must be handed over to the Municipality of Greater Shanghai to be distributed among the relatives of the victims, with the assistance of the Supervisory Committee of the Shanghai Special District Kuomintang, which should submit reports to the Kuomintang Headquarters."

#### SWIMMING NOTES.

[By T. TEMBAROM.]

The first V.R.C. night fete draws near and judging from the entries which have already been received for the events and the enthusiasm of the competitors, a fine evening's entertainment is assured. The very first name on the list of entries for the "50 yards open" race falls to the newcomer to the open speed events and although he has not been seen in action in the V.R.C. bath, but is reputed to be very fast and a challenger to the experts for this distance. Lawrence and Gittins are likely starters in this event, and it is hoped that J. R. Johnston can be persuaded against his principles to let us see him in this short "all out" event.

There are several speedy swimmers, especially for the short distance, amongst the Chinese swimming clubs, and it is hoped that they will send representatives for this event. Messrs. Leung Shiu Man and Wong Siang Hing, probably two of the best Chinese for this distance, are away in Japan for the Olympic Games. However, I am informed that there are several other fast swimmers who could compete in this event in the three Chinese clubs.

A feature on the night fete programme is the pillow fight for members. A large number of entries have already been received for this event and it would appear that the title of "pillow fight champion of the Club" is a much coveted one! The programme ends up well with dancing in the spacious ball room to the music of Dick d'Almada's Band.

It was good to see Jimmy Lyon once again in action in the V.R.C. bath last week when the Senior V.R.C. team played a practice game with the Juniors. Although prohibited to enter competition swimming, Lyon showed that he has lost none of his speed and easy style which he showed in former years as the Colony's champion. His water polo is in a class of its own and he showed the younger players that there are still a few tricks to learn in the game. His "first time" shots, which he executes from almost any "angle," are beautiful to watch and most deadly to the goal when within shooting range. It is hoped that he will play in the water-polo league this year for the V.R.C.

Dr. "Douglas" Liang and Victor Gittins are now free from their "Varsity" studies and they will be able to devote more attention to their swimming. Gittins has been putting in some good training recently with the apparent intention of upholding his reputation in the forthcoming night fete, as one of our fastest short-distance men. Liang is a clever and spectacular forward in water polo, and as such he intends to take his playing seriously this year, to the benefit of the V.R.C. team.

The Fukien Club



## INTIMATIONS.

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## NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FIFTY-SEVENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Society will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, UNION BUILDING, Hong Kong, on FRIDAY, 30th MAY, 1930, at 11 O'clock A.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st DECEMBER, 1929, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from 12th MAY to 30th MAY, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,  
PAUL LAUDER,  
General Manager.  
Hong Kong, 5th May, 1930.

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## NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SIXTY-FIRST ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Company will be held at its HEAD OFFICE, UNION BUILDING, Hong Kong, on FRIDAY, 30th MAY, 1930, at 11.15 A.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st DECEMBER, 1929, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 12th MAY to 30th MAY, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,  
PAUL LAUDER,  
General Manager.  
Hong Kong, 5th May, 1930.

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 12th MAY to 30th MAY, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,  
PAUL LAUDER,  
General Manager.  
Hong Kong, 5th May, 1930.

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## INTIMATIONS.

## HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the VOTING MEMBERS of the HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB will be held at the CLUB HOUSE, HARRY VALLEY, Victoria, in the Colony of Hong Kong, on WEDNESDAY the 4th DAY of JUNE, 1930, immediately after the HALF YEARLY MEETING of VOTING MEMBERS, for the purpose of considering, and if thought fit, passing the following resolution:—

"That the present unincorporated Members Club known as the HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB be incorporated and registered in Hong Kong under the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance and that the names of such Company shall be the HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB and that the draft Memorandum and Articles of Association contained in the printed document submitted to the Meeting and for the purpose of identification subscribed by the Chairman thereof be approved and adopted as the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Club as incorporated and that the same be subscribed by the existing Stewards of the HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB and registered as such and that the Company be registered without the addition of the word Limited to its name as being an association which intends to apply its profits in promoting its objects and which prohibits the payment of any dividends to its Members and that the existing Stewards of the HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB do forthwith after the incorporation and registration of the said Company transfer and assign all the property effects benefit and liabilities of the present unincorporated HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB to the Company so incorporated and registered."

And NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that a Further EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB will be held at the same Place on MONDAY the 23rd DAY of JUNE, 1930, at 5.30 O'clock in the AFTERNOON, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Proceedings of the above mentioned Meeting and of confirming, if thought fit, the above mentioned resolution.

Copies of the proposed Memorandum and Articles of Association are open to the inspection of Members and can be secured during the usual Business Hours at the Office of the Secretary, Mr. C. B. BROWN, Messrs. LINTAS & DAVIS, Alexandra Buildings, Hong Kong, and at the Office of Messrs. DEACONS, 1, Des Voeux Road CENTRAL, Hong Kong, where the Club's Solicitors, and at the CLUB HOUSE, HARRY VALLEY, Hong Kong.

Dated the 21st day of May, 1930.  
By Order of the STEWARDS,  
C. B. BROWN,  
Secretary. [9463]

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## COUNTY CRICKET MATCH RESULTS.

## DECISIONS REACHED IN SEVEN FIXTURES.

## NORTHAMPTONSHIRE WIN BY EIGHT RUNS.

## MATCH AT LORD'S ABANDONED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, May 27.

Rain caused much interference with the County cricket matches begun last Saturday. The match between Surrey and the Australians at the Oval had to be abandoned. On Monday there was no play at Lord's between Middlesex and Lancashire, and the match was drawn. Seven matches, however, were completed on a wicket which favoured the bowlers. The only high score recorded in a single innings was by Birmingham, where Warwick gathered 501 runs for six wickets against Essex, two of their men reaching three-figure scores, while one on the other side knocked up exactly one hundred. Four other batsmen were credited with centuries.

Northamptonshire gained their first victory by the small margin of eight runs. Gloucestershire won by an innings, and Sussex took the points with eight wickets in hand. Two matches were decided on the first innings.

## RESULTS AT A GLANCE.

Gloucestershire beat Worcestershire by an innings and 13 runs.  
Sussex beat Somersetshire by eight wickets.  
Notts beat Leicestershire by 180 runs.  
Kent beat Yorkshire by 54 runs.  
Northamptonshire beat Derbyshire by eight runs.  
Warwickshire beat Essex on the first innings.  
Glamorgan beat Hampshire on the first innings.

## Batting.

Smith (Warwick) 134 Leyland (Yorks.) 103  
Woolley (Kent) 118 Hardinge (Kent) 101  
Hallows (Lancs.) 117 Russell (Essex) 100  
Bates (Warwick) 110 Sutcliffe (Yorks.) 88

## Bowling.

Mitchell (Derby) 7 for 23 S. Staples (Notts.) 4 for 37  
Mercer (Glamorgan) 5 for 40 Peach (Kent) 4 for 28  
and 3 for 19 and 6 for 111  
Tate (Sussex) 6 for 37 Bowes (Yorks.) 5 for 57  
Voce (Notts.) 4 for 25 Astill (Leicester) 4 for 46  
and 6 for 42 Langridge (Sussex) 6 for 73  
Paine (Warwick) 5 for 33 Sinfield (Gloucester) 8 for 78  
Newman (Hampshire) 5 for 36 and 0 for 72

## DERBY v. NORTHANTS.

## VISITORS WIN.

Playing at home, Derbyshire lost to Northamptonshire by eight runs. The scoring on both sides was poor, the only bright feature being in the bowling department, where Mitchell took seven of the visitors' wickets for 25 runs in the second innings.

Northants, 182 and 81  
Derby, 114 and 141

## WARWICK v. ESSEX.

## BIG SCORE BY WARWICK.

At Birmingham, Warwick had to be satisfied with a first innings decision over Essex after they had declared at 501 for 6 wickets. Bates (110) and Smith (124) were prominent on the batting side for Warwick, while in the bowling department Paine took five wickets for 25 runs.

Essex did better in the second innings, scoring 223 for five wickets, with Russell responsible for 100.

Warwick, 1st innings (6 wickets, dec.) 501  
Bates, 110  
Smith, 124  
Essex, 1st innings 178  
Paine, 5 for 35  
Essex, 2nd innings (5 wickets) 223  
Russell, 100.

## GLAMORGAN v. HAMPSHIRE.

## POOR BATTING.

At Pontypridd, Glamorgan gained a victory on the first innings over Hampshire. There was nothing remarkable in the batting scoring, but Mercer returned good bowling figures in both innings for the winners, while Newman, the Hampshire bowler, also shone in this department.

Glamorgan, 1st innings 169  
Newman, 5 for 38  
Hampshire, 1st innings 105  
Mercer, 5 for 40  
Glamorgan, 2nd innings (3 wickets, dec.) 71  
Hampshire, 2nd innings (5 wickets) 56  
Mercer, 3 for 16.

## LEICESTER v. NOTTS.

## HOME COUNTY LOSE.

At Leicester, Notts. beat the home County by 190 runs. Sam Staples and Voce attacked vigorously for the visitors, and Leicester were dismissed rather easily in both innings. Astill, however, proved more successful with the latter against the visitors' first essay.

Notts, 153 and 214  
Astill, 4 for 46 (1st innings)  
Leicester, 83 and 103  
Voce, 4 for 28 and 6 for 42  
Staples, 4 for 37 (2nd innings)

## GLOUCESTER v. SUSSEX.

## WIN FOR GLOUCESTER.

At Bristol, Gloucestershire beat Worcestershire by an innings and 13 runs. Worcester batted first for 166, and Gloucester replied with 280. Sinfield, who had taken six of

Worcester's wickets for about twelve runs apiece, again performed a similar feat in the second innings. With their second effort producing only 111 runs, Worcester's combined total fell short by 13 runs.

Worcester, 156 and 111  
Sinfield, 6 for 73 and 6 for 72  
Gloucester, 1st innings 280  
Root, 5 for 95.

## SUSSEX v. SOMERSET.

## VICTORY FOR SUSSEX.

At Brighton, Sussex gained a victory over Somerset by eight wickets. Somerset scored 105 runs and 148 in their second effort. In the first innings Tate was responsible for the poor total, while Langridge did the damage in the second innings.

The combined Somerset total passed Sussex's score by 23 runs, which the latter gathered at the expense of two wickets.  
Somerset, 105 and 148  
Tate, 6 for 37 and  
Langridge, 6 for 72  
Sussex, 223 and 31 for 2 wickets 254

## YORKSHIRE v. KENT.

## KENT WIN BY 54 RUNS.

At Leeds, Kent beat Yorkshire by 54 runs. Hardinge scored 101 for the winners in the first innings and Woolley 119 in the second. For Yorkshire, Leyland contributed 105 in the second innings, while Sutcliffe in the earlier effort contributed a very useful 89. Peach was in good bowling form for Kent.

Kent, 205 and 289  
Hardinge, 101  
Bowes, 5 for 57  
Woolley, 119 (2nd innings)  
Yorks, 198 and 242  
Sutcliffe, 89  
Leyland, 105 (2nd innings)  
Peach, 4 for 38 and 6 for 111.

## MIDDLESEX v. LANCS.

## MATCH DRAWN.

There was no play on Monday at Lord's. The match between Middlesex and Lancashire was therefore drawn. Lancashire had scored 260 runs for five wickets on Saturday, Hallows contributing 117.

## CHAMPIONSHIP TABLE.

1st Inn. No.  
P. W. L. W. L. Res. Pts.  
Lancashire... 6 4 0 1 0 1 41  
Warwick... 6 2 0 3 1 0 34  
Notts... 6 3 1 0 0 1 39  
Sussex... 6 3 1 0 2 1 36  
Kent... 6 4 3 1 0 0 24  
Glamorgan... 6 0 1 4 1 0 23  
Surrey... 6 1 0 0 4 0 20  
Worcester... 6 2 1 0 0 1 18  
Leicester... 6 1 0 1 3 0 15  
Hampshire... 6 1 1 0 0 0 14  
Gloucester... 6 1 1 0 2 0 14  
Middlesex... 6 0 1 0 2 2 14  
Derbyshire... 6 1 1 0 0 1 12  
Yorkshire... 6 1 1 0 0 1 12  
Somerset... 6 0 4 2 0 0 10  
Essex... 6 0 1 1 1 0 8  
Northants... 6 1 4 0 0 0 6

## EASTERN NEWS IN BRIEF.

## PARS FROM EVERYWHERE.

Writers throughout China are now invited by the Ministry of Education to compose a national anthem, says a Nanking telegram. The cash prize for the best anthem will be \$1,000.

Mr. Chang Chi, distinguished famous Kuomintang scholar, has telegraphed to the Waichangpu asking that steps should be taken to prevent Sir E. Stein, the British explorer and archaeologist, from pursuing investigations in China.

Preparations are being made by the National Anti-Opium Association for the celebration of the 91st anniversary of June 3, when Mr. Li Chi Shu, former Viceroy of Liangkuan Province, burned a large quantity of opium which was seized from British merchants in Canton.

The American Consulate-General in Shanghai is interested in obtaining information regarding the whereabouts of Frances E. Cameron, formerly of Hong Kong and Honolulu, who is reported to have been seen in Shanghai recently. Any information regarding her will be appreciated.

The Chinese torpedo-boat Hupan, which was recently sent from Kachang-miao to patrol the Chekiang and Fukien coasts, met a pirate junk off Kienkei coast last week. The junk was seized and eight pirates arrested on it were taken to Foochow for punishment. On the afternoon of the same day, another junk was seized by the officers and seven more arrests were made.

At the weekly meeting of the Fukien Provincial Government last week, it was reported that the British Government had agreed to the unconditional surrender of the British Concession in Amoy. This report is taken from the Chinese Press, and lacks confirmation. We recently published news from a Chinese source to the effect that negotiations with the British Consul were about to be opened.

Mr. T. Saito, Shanghai manager of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, who has been a director of the Sino-Japanese Society for several years and a member of the Shanghai Municipal Council, has been appointed London manager of his company and will leave shortly to take up his new post. Mr. Saito has always taken a keen interest in fostering closer relations between China and Japan.

It is learned from reliable sources, says the Chinese Press in Shanghai, that \$1,339,236 worth of foreign silver is due to arrive in China from America in the near future on a Japanese ship. Of this, \$837,991 is said to be intended for Shanghai, but, in view of the National Government's order for the prohibition of silver importation, it will probably be shipped to Hong Kong.

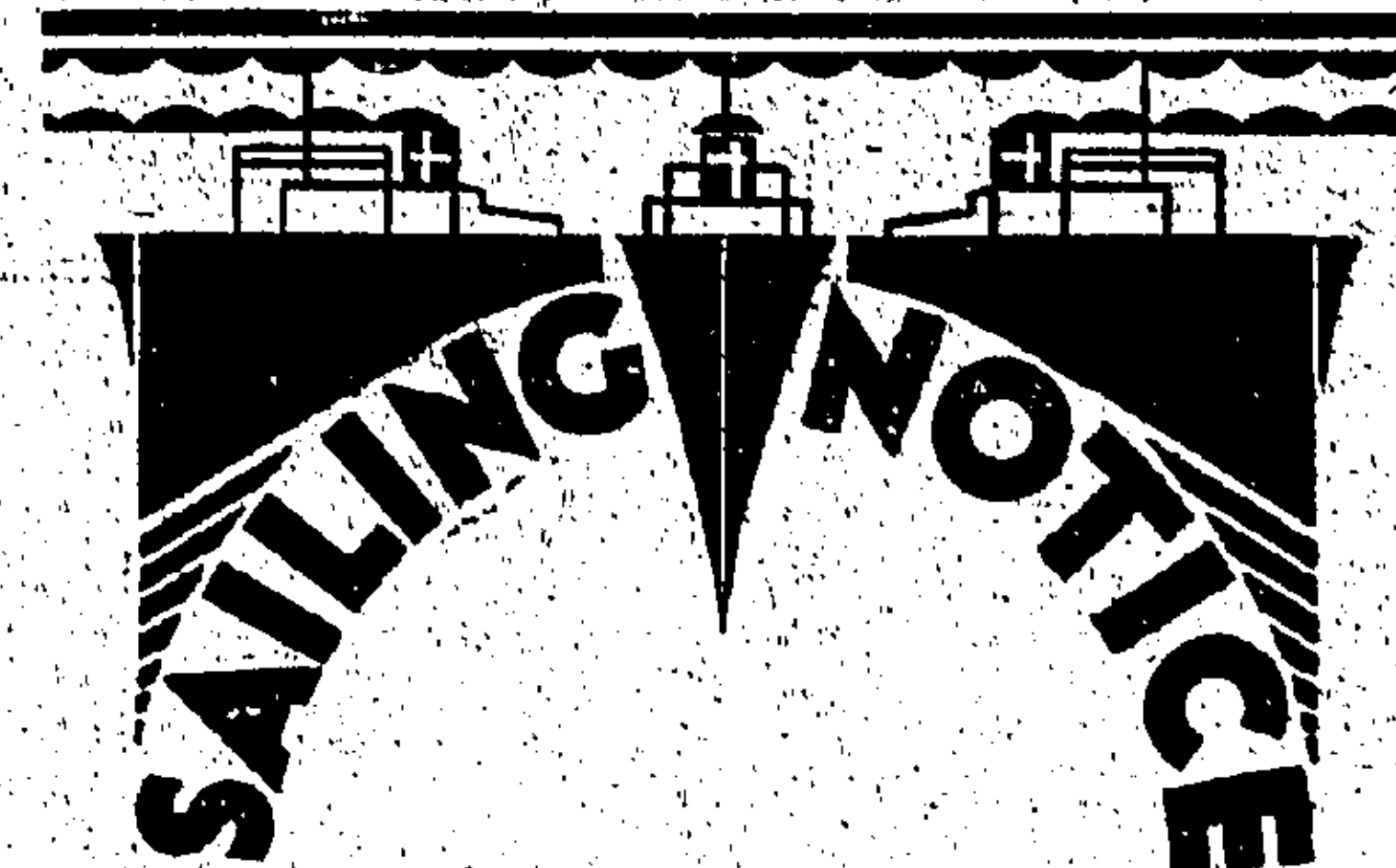
Mr. Chao Tichiao, managing director of the China Merchants S. N. Co., and Marquis Li Kuochi, manager of the Chi Yu Real Estate Co., a subsidiary company of the China Merchants, who recently sued each other at the Special District Court, have now withdrawn their respective lawsuits regarding the control of the Chi Co. as a result of mediation conducted by a number of prominent Chinese.

A telegram has been received by the Waichangpu from the Chinese Legation in Paris requesting the Government to find out and to deal severely with an unscrupulous Chinese who cheated some 300 Chinese hawkers who wished to go to France by issuing false passports to them. These hawkers, when reaching France, were refused admittance by the French authorities and they are in a most pitiable condition, says the telegram.

In view of the continuous rise in the value of gold, the Administrative Yuan has ordered the Ministry of Finance to impose an import duty of 30 per cent. on foreign silver and to prohibit silver importation unless the merchants concerned apply to the Chinese Government for necessary "hukiao" beforehand. The above restriction, according to the Chinese Press, will remain in force for a period of six months, after which it will continue in force if the result of its imposition is satisfactory.

## MATCHES IN PROGRESS.

The following matches were due to start during the mid-week:—  
At Lord's, Middlesex v. Hampshire.  
At the Oval, Surrey v. Gloucestershire.  
At Ilkerton, Derbyshire v. Kent.  
At Nottingham, Notts v. Glamorgan.  
At Dewbury, Yorkshire v. Essex.  
At Nelson, Lancashire v. Leicestershire.  
At Worcester, Worcestershire v. Northamptonshire.  
At Cambridge, Cambridge University v. Sussex.  
At Oxford University v. Australia.



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TJISONDARI	S'HAL & AMOI	8th June	10th June, Noon	MANILA, MEXAN & BOKKARAI
TJILEBOET	AMOI	15th June	17th June, Noon	BATAVIA
TJIKARANG	S'HAL & AMOI	22nd June	24th June, Noon	MANILA, MEXAN & BOKKARAI

## NORTH BOUND.

STEAMERS	FROM	EXPECTED ON OR ABOUT	WILL LEAVE ON OR ABOUT	FOR
TJISONDARI	BATAVIA	In Port	23rd May	AMOI & S'HAL
TJILEBOET	JAVA, MAKARAI	6th June	10th June	AMOI
TJIKARANG	BATAVIA	11th June	13th June	AMOI & S'HAL
TJISALAK	JAVA, MAKARAI	21st June	24th June	AMOI

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M.V. "BURGENLAND" (1)	Genoa, Marseilles, Barcelona, Rotterdam & Hamburg	18 July

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## ARRIVALS FROM EUROPE.

VESSEL.	DESTINATION.	LEAVING HONG KONG.
M.V. "BURGENLAND" (1)	Genoa, Rotterdam & Hamburg	9 June
M.V. "ERMLAND" (2)	Genoa, Dunkirk, Rotterdam & Hamburg	9 June
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# Money and Markets

## CANTON TRADE NOTES.

There has been much inactivity in the Chinese and foreign flour market. Merchants have to reduce prices due to large stocks and plentiful supplies.

The foreign sugar market has become very active and prices have gone up to some degree. Demand is healthy, but supplies are limited. The Chinese sugar market is, however, normal.

Since the conclusion of warfare in Kwangsi, the value of Central Bank of China notes of \$5 and \$10 denominations has been steadily rising. At present, they are quoted at 85 per cent. of their face value.

Demand for Zinc in sheets by printing block manufacturers has been brisk. Arrivals from Japan are short due to the high purchase prices caused by the exchange. Quotations have consequently advanced considerably.

Demand for wolfram ores by foreign merchants is healthy. The ores are chiefly produced in the North River region; where over 4,000 piculs are mined daily. The current price is in the neighbourhood of \$72 per picul.

The cotton yarn market, which was fairly active during the past few days, has become once again dull. Prices in consequence have fallen by a dollar per bale. Shanghai telegraphic advices indicate that the quotations for No. 20 Japanese yarn have risen by half a dollar.

Manufacturers of rubber articles in the city report brisk business. Their products are in healthy demand on account of low prices. In spite of the competition of Japanese and Malayan goods, they sell quite readily. There are over ten factories in the city, with 1,000 workers, of whom about 300 are women.

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

### GENERAL RALLYING TENDENCY.

### CONSIDERABLE REDUCTION IN SALES.

[UNITED PRESS.]

New York, May 22.—U.S. Steel regained its leadership on the New York Stock Exchange to-day, and most of the leaders displayed signs of recovery, says the daily review of the Dow Jones Financial News Agency.

At the close Steel was quoted up 1/2 to 16 1/2, Bethlehem closing at 53 1/2, off 1/2, and Luddium at 36 1/2, off 1/2. The Dow Jones average for 30 Industrials was up 1 1/2 to 298.89.

Following attempts of the bears to force liquidation, the market rallied briskly at the close. The market had definitely improved at the noon hour, when the rallying tendency gained momentum.

There was considerable pool activity in evidence. Sales in the aggregate were off, however, the day's total amounting to but 1,800,230 shares.

### Oils Active and Higher.

Oils were active and higher. Standard Oil of New Jersey gained on eighth at the close, 7 1/2, and Standard of New York was likewise up an eighth, to 33 1/2. Texas Corp. was up a quarter to 30 1/2, and Phillips Petroleum gained a quarter to 33 1/2.

Rails were quiet and stationary, with the Dow Jones average for 20 issues off .25 to 144.53. Pennsylvania was off half a point to 78 1/2 at the close; Erie held at 47 1/2; New York Central was off a point to 175; Canadian Pacific was off 1/2 to 209 1/2; and Northern Pacific was off a point to 82 1/2.

### Average Up for Utilities.

The Dow Jones average for 20 utilities was up .29 to 99.10. Electric Bond & Share gained 1/2 to close at 99 1/2; Radio Corp. held at 48 1/2; Cities Service was off a quarter to 34 1/2; Columbia Gas was off an eighth to 87 1/2; Consolidated Gas was off 1/2 to 12 1/2; Public Service of New Jersey was up half a point to 110 1/2; Southern California Edison was up half a point to 63 1/2; and Standard Gas & Electric was up a point to 113 1/2.

General Electric closed up 1/2 to 90 1/2. General Motors was up 1/2 to 30 1/2. Anaconda Copper held at 33 1/2. Allied Chemicals held at 30 1/2. Texas Corp. was up a quarter to 30 1/2. Curtis Wright common gained a quarter to 10 1/2; and Eastman Kodak was off half a point to 230 1/2.

Call money continued at 3 per cent. while time money was at 3 per cent. for 60 days and 3 1/2 per cent. for 90 days.

## BOOTLEGGERS AS BUSINESS MAN.

### LIQUOR DELIVERED OVER 1,500 MILES.

There are no more efficient business men in the world than the "bootleggers" of the United States. Their trained economists have charted the supply and demand, and the best territories for sales. Acroplanes, fast motor-boats, and motor-trucks are used for delivery. They are in constant wireless touch with their cargo-carrying vessels. Above all, they have no bad debts. Thousands of millionaires annually make seasonal pilgrimages to the Florida State of palm and beautiful beaches—and many millionaires and their associates are either "dry" or far from "dry," according to the meaning of the word.

Just before the winter colony packs up to go north for the summer the galesmen of the syndicates "get busy."

They approach no one who is not scheduled as rich and non-Prohibitionist.

"Not Healthy."

"Would he like some liquor?" "Naturally. But how can he take it north?"

"Don't worry about that part of it. We will deliver at your New York address or wherever you live."

"You give a cheque dated ahead about ten days."

"Suppose you don't deliver? Or suppose the 'stuff' is not up to grade?"

"Then you can stop the cheque."

"But suppose I get the liquor and like it, and suppose I still stop the cheque, what can you do then?"

"That would neither be advisable nor healthy for you," the prospective purchaser is told.

And he believes what he is right to believe it.

Thus the bootleggers transact business, selling in one part of the country and delivering 1,000 or 1,500 miles away with dispatch and efficiency.

## EXCHANGE RATES.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Rogby, May 27.

Paris 123.93

New York 4.85 29/32

Brussels 34.51 1/2

Geneva 25.11 1/2

Amsterdam 12.08

Milan 20.58 1/2

Berlin 18.10 1/2

Stockholm 13.10 1/2

Copenhagen 18.16 1/2

Oslo 18.16 1/2

Vienna 34.43 1/2

Prague 103

Helsingfors 103 1/2

Madrid 39.92 1/2

Lisbon 108.23

Athens 375

Bucharest 5 27/32

Rio 42 15/16

Buenos Aires 1/5 25/32

Bombay 1/8 1/2

Shanghai 1/4 1/2

Hong Kong 2/0 13/10

Yokohama 2/0 13/10

Silver (spot) 12 1/2

Silver (forward) 18 3/16

Gold 16.80 17/10

11.10 17/10

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## DAILY SHARE QUOTATIONS.

### HONG KONG STOCK EXCHANGE.

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 28.

### SHAREBROKERS ASSOCIATION.

### BANKS.

H.K. Bank \$1,475

Do. (London) 211 1/2

Chartered Bank 217 1/2

Mercantile Bk. "A" 217 1/2

Do. "C" 217 1/2

Bank of East Asia \$119

Insurance

Canton Insurance \$340

Underwriters \$315

North China \$495

Union Insurance \$495

Yangtze Insurance \$400

China Fire \$495

H.K. Fire \$495

Shipping

Douglas \$31

Steamboats \$31

Indos (pref.) \$50

Do. (def.) \$50

Sea Transport \$50

Water-works \$33 1/2

Mining

Benquet \$47 1/2

Kailans \$47 1/2

Langkats (comb.) \$47 1/2

Do. (single) \$47 1/2

Explorations \$47 1/2

Shanghai Loans \$23

Rails \$23

Trench Mines \$19 1/2

Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.

H.K. & K. Wharves \$17 1/2

Providents \$5 95

H.K. Dock \$41

Shanghai Docks \$41

New Engineering \$41

Hongkwa \$41

Cotton Mills

Ewos \$11.00

Shai (comb.) \$8.50

Do. (new) \$8.50

Zong Sings \$10 1/2

Lands, Hotels and Buildings

H.K. & S. Hotels \$12.50

H.K. Lands \$37 1/2

Shanghai Lands \$37 1/2

H.K. Realty \$10 1/2

Humphreys \$16 1/2

Chinese Estates \$16 1/2

Public Utilities

Tramways \$20.40

Peak Tram (old) \$12 1/2

Do. (new) \$6 1/2

Star Ferry \$64 1/2

C. Lights (old) \$28 1/2

Do. (new) \$24 1/2

H.K. Electric \$80 1/2

Sandakan Lights \$14 1/2

Telephones \$14 1/2

China Buses \$14 1/2

Tramways \$6 1/2

Do. (pref.) \$6 1/2

Industrials

Caldbeck (ord.) \$11 1/2

Macgregor (pref.) \$11 1/2

Canton Ice \$11 1/2

Cement (comb.) \$11 1/2

Do. (old) \$11 1/2

Do. (new) \$11 1/2

Watsons \$11 1/2

Wm. Wells \$11 1/2

Wm. G. Bonds \$11 1/2

H.K. Govt. Loan \$103

Miscellaneous

Dairy Farms \$26 1/2

Do. A. Wings \$26 1/2

Amusements \$26 1/2

Constructions \$17 1/2

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Macintoshes \$17 1/2

Nanyang Tobacco \$17 1/2

Sincere (old) \$17 1/2

Do. (new) \$17 1/2

Watsons \$17 1/2

Wm. Wells \$17 1/2

Wm. G. Bonds \$17 1/2

H.K. Govt. Loan \$103

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SHANGHAI & SWATOW	Suwa Maru	31st May
SAN FRANCISCO (2nd May), HONGKONG, AIA, SHANGHAI and EUROPE via SIBERIA (London, 12th May)	Pres. Harrison	31st May
JAPAN	Chicago Maru	31st May
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MANILA	Pres. McKinley	1st June
SAN FRANCISCO (3rd May), HONGKONG, AIA, SHANGHAI and EUROPE via SIBERIA	Pres. McKinley	1st June
JAPAN & SHANGHAI	Pres. Jefferson	2nd June
JAPAN & SHANGHAI	Genl. Mettinger	2nd June
SANDAKAN	Tjiruwang	4th June
JAPAN	Shaka Maru	4th June
JAPAN	Landa	4th June
JAPAN	Sydney Maru	5th June
S. AILEY (17th May), CANADA, JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Pres. Grant	8th June
AUSTRALIA & MANILA	St. Albans	9th June

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For	Per	Date & Time
Hongkow, Pakhoi and Haiphong Shanghai, Japan, Hongkong, U.S.A., Canada, Central & South America, and *EUROPE via San Francisco— due San Francisco, 19th June, and *EUROPE via Siberia	Changtu Chichibu Maru	Thursday, 28th 8.30 a.m. Reg. 9.45 Letters 10.30
*Japan and *Victoria, B.C.—due Victoria, B.C., 19th June	Proletaria Seslan	10.00 2.30
Straits Swatow Shanghai	Hydrangea Lanyang	3.10 3.30
Bangkok	Bintang	Friday, 30th 10.30 a.m.
Calcutta via Straits Swatow, Amoy & Foochow	Yuenwang Hutching	Parcels Noon Letters 1.00 1.10
*Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. & South Africa, Aden, *Egypt and *U.R.O. & via Marseilles—due Mar- seilles, 30th June	Kwilon P.C. Suwa Maru	Reg. 4.30 Letters 4.00 G.P.O. Reg. 5.00 Letters 6.00
Tourane	Ohung Kong	5.00
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East & South Africa, Egypt & Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 30th June	Khyber	Kwilon P.C. Parcels 4.30 Reg. 5.15 Letters 5.00 G.P.O. Reg. 5.15 Letters 5.40 Reg. 5.15 Letters 9.45







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SWATOW, FOCHOW, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"HUICHOW"	On 1st June, 11 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SINKIANG"	On 1st June, Noon
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KWANGHONG"	On 1st June, 2.30 p.m.
SWATOW, AMOY, SWATOW & S'PORE	"ANKING"	On 2nd June, 8 p.m.
S'PORE, NEWCHANG & DALNY	"LUCHOW"	On 2nd June, 8 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SZECHUAN"	On 3rd June, Noon
HONGKONG, PAKHOI & BANGKOK	"CHINHUA"	On 4th June, 10 a.m.
AMOY & SHANGHAI	"TAIYUAN"	On 6th June, 3 p.m.
AMOY, SWATOW & SINGAPORE	"KWEIYANG"	On 8th June, 8 a.m.
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KALAN"	On 8th June, 2.30 p.m.
HONGKONG, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"KANGHONG"	On 12th June, 10 a.m.
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		MAY 27, 1930.											MAY 28, 1930.																							
STATION	Hour	Temp.	BAROMETER AT SEA LEVEL		THERMIST	HIGHEST	Wind			Direction	Force	Rain	Haze	Fog	Clouds	Moon	Sun	Temp.	BAROMETER AT SEA LEVEL		THERMIST	HIGHEST	Wind			Direction	Force	Rain	Haze	Fog	Clouds	Moon	Sun			
			Inches	Millis.			Direction	Force	Inches										Millis.	Direction			Force													
Wladivostok	12	29.90	759.5	58	...	SE	5	6	6	29.83	758.2	53	...	SE	2	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
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Hokodate	"	30.06	763.5	...	...	SSE	1	...	...	29.94	760.5	...	...	N	3	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Tokio	"	30.12	765.0	...	...	SE	1	0	"	29.98	759.0	...	...	N	3	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Kochi	"	29.88	759.0	...	...	E	1	...	"	29.80	757.0	...	...	N	3	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Nagasaki	"	29.80	757.0	...	...	E	1	...	"	29.80	757.0	...	...	N	3	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Kagoshima	"	29.82	757.5	...	...	NR	1	1	"	29.78	756.5	...	...	N	3	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Oshima	"	29.70	754.5	...	...	SSW	1	...	"	29.73	755.0	...	...	N	3	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Naha	"	29.74	755.5	...	...	S	3	...	"	29.73	755.0	...	...	S	3	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Ishigakijima	"	29.69	754.0	...	...	SE	1	1	"	29.67	753.5	...	...	S	3	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Bonin Island	"	29.98	761.5	...	...	SE	1	...	"	29.98	761.0	...	...	S	3	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Cheloo	15	29.78	756.4	70	75	ENE	E	1	6	29.80	756.0	62	94	SW	E	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Shanghai	14	29.87	758.7	79	58	E	1	2	6	29.90	759.3	55	100	E	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Gutzlaff	"	29.92	759.9	69	80	ENE	E	1	6	29.93	760.2	55	78	ENE	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Kamen	"	29.80	756.9	73	79	NNE	E	1	6	29.80	756.9	73	81	ENE	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Sharp Peak	"	29.78	756.9	77	86	E	1	1	6	29.79	756.6	75	90	SE	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Amoy	"	29.70	754.4	82	92	E	1	4	6	29.75	755.6	72	81	ENE	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Swatow	"	29.64	752.8	79	87	ESE	E	1	5	29.74	755.4	72	98	E	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Taihook	11	29.74	755.4	75	91	SE	E	1	5	29.79	754.2	73	...	ESE	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Taihu	"	29.72	754.9	81	90	N	2	4	6	29.68	753.9	73	...	ESE	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Tainan	"	29.60	753.3	77	86	NNW	2	0	6	29.65	753.0	79	...	NNE	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Koshu	"	29.66	753.3	82	...	N	2	0	6	29.67	753.6	77	...	NNE	2	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Pescadores	"	29.71	754.5	80	83	ESE	E	1	6	29.73	755.1	78	82	E	3	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Hong Kong	14	29.69	754.2	80	86	ESE	E	1	6	29.73	754.9	81	...	E	4	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Gap Rock	"	29.67	753.6	89	...	ENE	E	1	6	29.68	753.9	79	84	SE	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Macao	"	29.66	753.3	77	76	SE	E	1	6	29.68	753.9	79	84	SE	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Hoihow	"	29.64	752.8	82	77	E	1	1	6	29.69	754.1	79	79	NNE	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Pratas Island	"	29.67	753.6	82	77	NNE	N	2	7	29.68	753.9	79	98	NNE	5	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Phulien	16	29.62	752.4	90	...	N	2	2	6	29.67	753.6	81	...	SW	4	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Tourane	"	29.83	752.6	84	...	NNE	N	2	6	29.81	753.2	75	...	SW	6	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Cape St James	"	29.77	756.1	84	...	SW	E	1	6	29.79	751.5	82	81	SE	4	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Basco	14	29.59	751.5	86	75	SE	E	1	6	29.59	751.5	82	81	SE	4	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Apurri	"	29.60	751.8	77	86	SW	E	1	6	29.58	751.2	78	88	SE	4	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Tuguegarao	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vigan	"	29.60	751.8	75	91	SSW	E	1	6	29.74	755.4	77	94	S	2	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Manila	"	29.73	755.1	75	89	W	E	1	6	29.75	755.7	79	96	WSW	2	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Legaspi	"	29.73	755.1	90	69	WSW	E	1	6	29.75	755.7	79	96	WSW	2	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Caboyog	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29.81	757.2	77	89	W	4	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Tacloban	"	29.75	755.7	86	71	SE	E	1	6	29.80	756.9	79	91	SSW	4	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Dailo	"	29.79	756.5	81	87	WSW	E	1	6	29.80	756.9	81	86	SW	4	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Cebu	"	29.76	756.0	86	75	SW	E	1	6	29.81	757.2	77	92	S	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Surigao	"	29.76	756.0	86	65	N	1	0	5	29.81	757.3	78	...	E	5	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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Guam	12.22	29.76	756.0	...	...	SE	E	1	6	29.82	757.5	...	...	N	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Yap	11.60	29.78	756.3	...	...	NNW	E	1	6	29.86	758.4	80	...	N	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Pelew	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29.82	757.4	80	91	SE	4	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Labuan	14	29.80	756.9	82	73	E	E	1	6	29.82	757.4	80	91	SE	4	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	



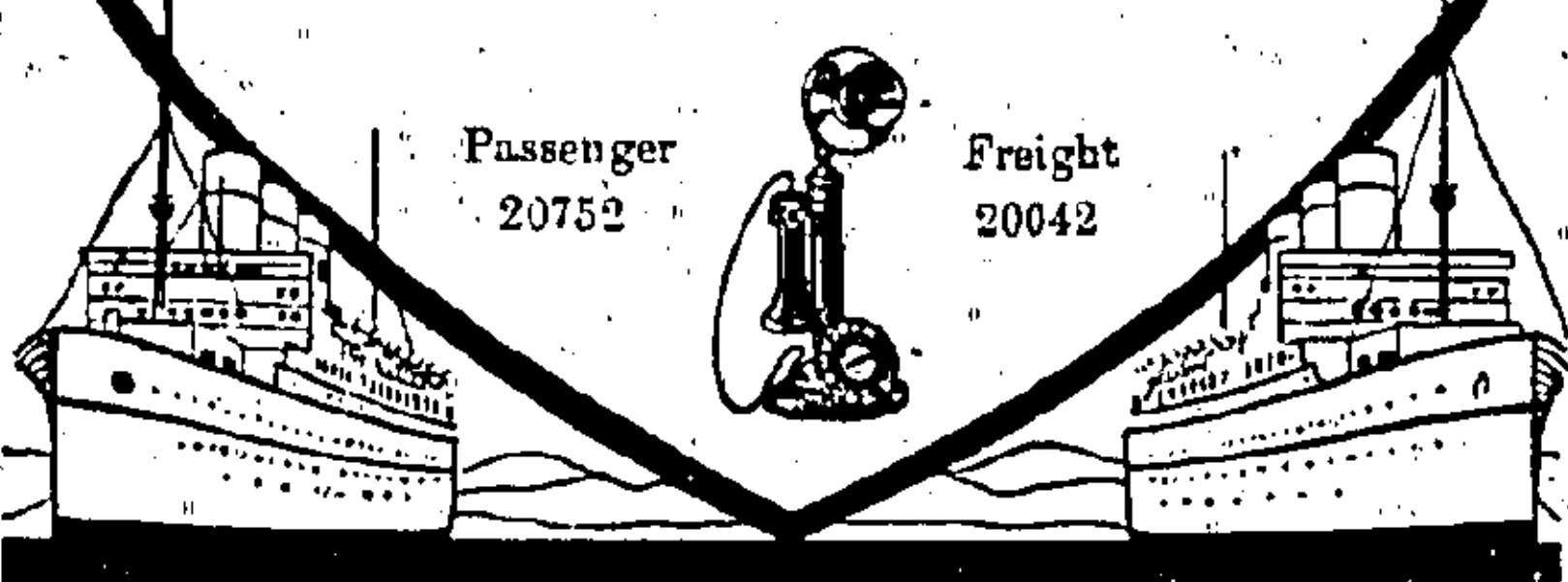
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Empress of Asia	June 23	June 26	June 29	July 1	July 12
Empress of Canada	July 10	July 13	July 16	July 17	July 25
Empress of Japan	July 23	July 26	July 29	Aug. 1	Aug. 9
Empress of Russia	Aug. 7	Aug. 10	Aug. 13	Aug. 14	Aug. 22
Empress of Asia	Aug. 20	Aug. 23	Aug. 26	Aug. 28	Sept. 6
Empress of Canada	Sept. 4	Sept. 7	Sept. 10	Sept. 11	Sept. 19
Empress of Japan	Sept. 17	Sept. 20	Sept. 23	Sept. 25	Oct. 4
Empress of Russia	Oct. 2	Oct. 5	Oct. 8	Oct. 9	Oct. 17
Empress of Asia	Oct. 15	Oct. 18	Oct. 21	Oct. 23	Nov. 1
Empress of Canada	Oct. 30	Nov. 2	Nov. 5	Nov. 6	Nov. 14
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TANGO MARU	Tuesday, 24th June
<b>MANILA</b>	
TENYO MARU	Friday, 6th June
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# Shipping News

Daily Statement, Waterfront News, etc.

## YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS

IMPORTS 16,000 TONS;  
THROUGH CARGO  
34,300 TONS.

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office, of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

	Cargo for H.K.	Through Ports
<b>British</b>		
Demodocus	1,220	3,309
Royal Prince	1,000	900
Tean, Canton	—	190
Kwong Sang	540	930
Hydrangea	150	—
Swatow	—	2,910
Swatow	—	3,349
<b>American</b>		
Manila	556	880
Manila	—	556
Manila	—	880
<b>German</b>		
Ermland	2,830	5,273
Singapore	—	2,830
Singapore	—	5,273
<b>Danish</b>		
Danmark	1,740	6,426
Singapore	—	1,740
Singapore	—	6,426
<b>Portuguese</b>		
Lima Hohow	1,670	—
Singapore	—	1,670
<b>Japanese</b>		
Hozan Maru	832	—
Keelung	—	720
Sungshan Maru	56	—
Shioya Maru	124	625
Calcutta	1,247	3,857
Yokohama	550	—
Swatow	—	49
Deli Maru	—	2,800
Canton	—	5,231
<b>Dutch</b>		
Tjissondari	3,312	8,770
Sourabaya	—	3,312
Sourabaya	—	8,770
<b>Chinese</b>		
Heng Shan	—	2,400
Saigon	—	204
Cheung Kong	—	204
Tourane	—	2,400
Total	16,031	34,340

## ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:—

	Arr.	Dep.
British	5	7
American	2	2
German	1	0
Danish	1	0
Portuguese	1	0
Japanese	6	5
Dutch	1	1
Chinese	4	4
French	0	3
Norwegian	0	3
Total	21	25

## ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS.

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

	Arr.	Dep.
Hydrangea (Br.) Swatow	228	—
Hozan Maru (Jap.) Keelung	—	77
Swatow	—	294
Sungshan Maru (Jap.) Swatow	—	597
Tjissondari (Dutch) Sourabaya	—	597
Muntok	—	597
Total	228	1,166

## ARRIVALS.

May 27.

Ermland, German str., 6,521 tons, Capt. H. Engell, from Singapore, buoy No. A6.—Jensen & Co.  
Chung Kong, Chinese str., 447 tons, Capt. Kwok Shau, from Tourane, buoy No. C18.—Yau Lee & Co.  
Lima, Portuguese str., 1,057 tons, Capt. J. de Matos, from Hoihow, buoy No. C39.—Cheong Wing & Co.  
Royal Prince, British str., 4,934 tons, Capt. W. de R. Hall, from Shanghai, buoy No. A6.—Prince Line.

May 28.

Chengtu, British str., 1,338 tons, Capt. W. L. Thomas, from Canton, buoy No. C41.—B. & S.  
Hai Ching, British str., 1,284 tons, Capt. Walker, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf.—Douglas S.S. Co.  
Hozan Maru, Japanese str., 9,347 tons, Capt. H. Oyama, from Swatow, O.S.K. Wharf.—O.S.K.  
Hydrangea, British str., 561 tons, Capt. P. W. Grierson, from Swatow, Chiu On Wharf.—Chiu On S.S. Co.  
King Yuan, British str., 1,546 tons, Capt. J. D. Whyte, from Amoy, buoy No. B11.—B. & S.  
Kwong Sang, British str., 1,428 tons, Capt. A. D. Kelman, from Swatow, West Point Wharf.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.  
Morioke Maru, Japanese str., 6,309 tons, Capt. J. Yokohama, from Moji, Kowloon Wharf.—N.Y.K.  
Seitani, British str., 1,571 tons, Capt. A. E. Inglis, from Swatow, buoy No. B36.—E. Fung & Co.  
Sinkiang, British str., 1,616 tons, Capt. C. H. Jones, from Swatow, buoy No. B34.—B. & S.  
Tean, British str., 1,351 tons, Capt. A. N. Taylor, from Canton, buoy No. B20.—B. & S.  
(Continued on next column.)

## CLEARANCES.

May 28.

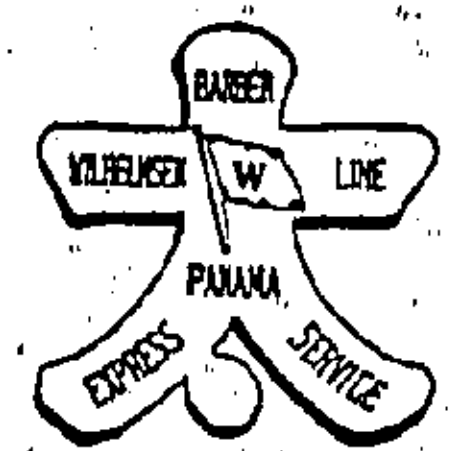
Chengtu, for Hoihow.  
Chichibu Maru, for Shanghai.  
Danmark, for Shanghai.  
Ermland, for Shanghai.  
Hin Sang, for Sandakan.  
Kwong Sang, for Canton.  
Morioke Maru, for Singapore.  
Protestant, for Manila.  
Royal Prince, for Canton.  
Sinkiang, for Canton.  
Tenn, for Santano.  
Tjissondari, for Amoy.  
Tsinan, for Amoy.  
Van Heutz, for Swatow.

## PASSENGERS.

Arrivals.

Per s.s. Tenyo Maru from Los Angeles and way ports on May 28.—Mr. and Mrs. M. Lokomall, Miss M. Lokomall, Master M. Lokomall, Mr. I. D. Willis, Mr. L. W. Neiswender, Mrs. L. Neiswender, Miss P. E. Neiswender, Miss P. E. Neiswender, Miss K. McIntyre, Mr. H. A. Thomlinson, Mrs. R. J. Hillier, Mr. Chua Suy, Mrs. Wong Say Yong, Mr. Tang Kin Pak, Mr. Mar Wai Fong, Mr. M. Aaron, Mrs. M. Aaron, Mr. L. S. Goddard, Mrs. L. S. Goddard, Master W. Goddard, Miss M. Goddard, Mr. A. E. Benedetto, Mr. Liberato Tabinga, Miss Fern Taplin, Mr. M. Takezawa, Mrs. Mary V. Sims, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. S. Macdonald, Master G. Macdonald, Mrs. T. Seitz, Rev. B. E. Alexis, Mr. Tsang Hong How, Mr. Tsang Kark Yong, Mr. Lam Loy Tung, Mr. Lam Dong Man, Mr. Quok Cheng Kim, Mr. Pan King Ming, Mrs. Ho Foo Yen, Mr. and Mrs. Lim Wing Hoy.

Tenyo Maru, Japanese str., 6,277 tons, Capt. J. Tsui, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—N.Y.K.



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"KALIMORE"	9,173	18th June	Mars, L'don, Hull, H'bg, E'dm & A'warp.
"KALIMORE"	16,301	21st June	Bombay, Colombo & Bombay.
"KALIMORE"	5,304	28th June [Mars]	L'don, Hull, H'bg, E'dm & A'warp.
"KALIMORE"	9,123	6th July	Mars, L'don, Hull, H'bg, E'dm & A'warp.
"KALIMORE"	10,356	18th July	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"KALIMORE"	9,118	26th July [Mars]	L'don, Hull, H'bg, E'dm & A'warp.
"KALIMORE"	9,144	2nd Aug.	Mars, L'don, Hull, H'bg, E'dm & A'warp.
"KALIMORE"	16,508	16th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"KALIMORE"	8,955	30th Aug.	Marseilles, L'don, B'dm & A'warp.
"KALIMORE"	10,948	13th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"KALIMORE"	9,005	27th Sept.	Marseilles, L'don, B'dm & A'warp.
"KALIMORE"	10,980	11th Oct.	Marseilles & London.
"KALIMORE"	9,114	25th Oct.	Marseilles, L'don, B'dm & A'warp.
"KALIMORE"	10,984	8th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"KALIMORE"	11,120	22nd Nov.	do.
"KALIMORE"	18,619	8th Dec.	do.
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"TALAMBA"	9,048	9th June	do.
"TALAMBA"	10,000	25th June	do.
"SHIBALA"	7,841	2nd July	do.
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"ST. ALBANS"	4,500	4th July	Island, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney and Melbourne.
"NELLORE"	6,563	3rd Aug.	do.

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"JEYPORE"	5,316	2nd June, D.L.	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
"TAKADA"	10,000	9th June	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
"KALIMORE"	9,123	6th June	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
"ST. ALBANS"	4,500	10th June	Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
"SHIBALA"	7,841	11th June	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
"TAKLIWA"	7,936	15th June	do.
"MOREA"	10,984	20th June	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
"KALIMORE"	9,144	4th July	do.
"RAJPUTANA"	16,508	18th July	Shanghai, Kobe & Y'hama.
"KASHMIR"	8,955	1st Aug.	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
"MANTUA"	10,948	13th Aug.	do.
"KASHMIR"	9,005	27th Aug.	do.
"MALWA"	10,980	11th Sept.	do.
"KHYBER"	9,114	25th Sept.	do.
"MOREA"	10,984	10th Oct.	do.
"MACEDONIA"	11,120	24th Oct.	do.
"RAWALPINDI"	18,619	7th Nov.	S'hai, Kobe & Yokohama.
"KALIMORE"	9,144	22nd Nov.	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
"RANCHI"	10,000	5th Dec.	S'hai, Kobe & Yokohama.
"KASHMIR"	8,955	20th Dec.	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Y'hama.

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